

18 Are Killed, 250 Injured In Wild Riots In Bombay, India

By G. MILTON KELLY  
Bombay, Feb. 22 (AP) — City-wide civilian riots touched off by a sea-men's mutiny flamed in Bombay today amid machinegun fire. British troops, planes and warships converged on the city of 1,400,000 which A. E. Cuffin, deputy police commissioner, declared to be in a state of "absolute rebellion."

The Royal Indian navy mutiny continued here but at Karachi parachute troops with artillery fired for 25 minutes on the H.M.I.S. Hindustan, 1,000-ton sloop seized by rebellious seamen, and forced the mutineers to run up the white flag. In Bombay rifle and machinegun fire crackled in many sections against mobs which beat, stoned and knifed their victims, set fire to many police and military trucks and private cars, smashed store and bank windows and went on a looting spree.

18 Reported Killed

At least 18 were reported killed and 250 injured, including 165 wounded by bullets, in the rioting. Hundreds of British Tommies poured into the city in trucks and armored cars with orders to fire on occasion demanded. A heavy force of bomber planes arrived at airfields ringing the city. In the harbor mutinous Indians still in control of a flotilla of 10 small warcraft were faced by the advance guard of a strong Royal Navy force ordered here to put down the mutiny. Heavy artillery was being sent to the city.

Prime Minister Attlee in London told the House of Commons that the All-India Congress party had officially disclaimed participation in the mutiny, "but left-wing elements and communists are trying to work up sympathy." The mutineers have been told that only unconditional surrender will be accepted, he said. A British cruiser shortly would arrive on the scene, he added.

12,000 In Mutiny

Two small British naval vessels, H.M.S. Nith, an escort frigate with a normal complement of 200 men, and H.M.S. Seabelle, a yacht type vessel, each with four-inch guns, steamed into the harbor.

A 9 p. m. curfew was imposed. Advanced headquarters of the Southern Indian Command were set up in Bombay with Lt. Gen. R. M. M. Lockhart in supreme command of all Royal Indian Navy, Army and Air Forces as the British moved to cope with the mutiny.

War Secretary Philip Mason estimated that nearly 12,000 Indian sailors were involved in the mutiny. The surrendered crew of the Hindustan was assembled on the jetty. A Reuters report put casualties in the engagement at four killed and 25 injured.

Mutiny Spreads

Efforts continued to induce besieged mutineers barricaded in naval barracks ashore in Bombay to surrender, but officials were tight-lipped.

Press dispatches reported that the mutiny had spread to Vizagapatam, on India's east coast between Calcutta and Madras, where 600 Royal Indian Navy sailors were said to have marched through the town shouting "victory for India" and carrying Congress Party flags.

At Calcutta the situation remained unchanged in the fourth day of the strike of seamen, but the street railway system was completely paralyzed and bus service was reduced to skeleton proportions by sympathy demonstrations. Some street cars were pelted by stones.

Here And There  
News Collected At Random

At the inauguration of George Washington as President of the United States the following prayer was given:

"Almighty God, we make our earnest prayer that Thou wilt keep the United States in Thy holy protection; that Thou wilt incline the hearts of the citizens to cultivate a spirit of subordination and obedience to government, and entertain a brotherly affection and love for one another and for their fellow citizens of the United States at large. And finally that Thou wilt most graciously be pleased to dispose us all to do justice to love mercy and to demean ourselves with charity, humility and pacific temper of mind, which were the characteristics of the Divine Author of our blessed religion and without an humble imitation of whose example in these things we can never hope to be a happy nation. Grant our supplication, we beseech Thee, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen."

Weather Forecast  
Clear and not so cold tonight.

American Legion Dance tonight—Hotel Gettysburg Annex—See the car given away. Admission 50c.  
Nylon panties, white and tan. White cotton panties, small, medium and large. The Smart Shoppe, Carlisle street.

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Good Evening  
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PASTORS VOICE  
OPPOSITION TO  
PREJUDICE BY  
RACIAL GROUPS

In a prepared statement the Gettysburg Ministerium today voiced its opposition to "the rising tide of racial, religious, class and group prejudice."

Its vigorous stand was taken in connection with the current observance of National Brotherhood Week.

The statement follows:

"In consideration of the rising tide of racial, religious, class, and group prejudice throughout the world today the Protestant Ministerium of Gettysburg desires to use the occasion of National Brotherhood Week to make known publicly its stand against all those present day movements and expressed social attitudes which are motivated and inspired by a spirit of discrimination and hatred.

Some Favor Persecution

"A poll of public opinion taken last year indicates that an alarming number of the people of our country desire a persecution campaign against Catholics. A much larger number would join a hate movement against the Jews, and would likewise support a hate campaign to 'put Negroes in their place.'"

"We are alarmed at the growing number of nation-wide and sectional movements operating under the guise of high-sounding patriotic, American titles which are largely motivated by a spirit of group prejudice. Governor Dewey of New York has rightly charged them with being race-baiting, rabble-rousers after the order of the late Adolf Hitler.

"We strongly condemn all actions taken and policies pursued by institutions, organizations, and groups in so many communities throughout our country which exclude from fellowship or other-wise discriminate against our fellowmen because of race, color, creed, or class.

Call for Support

"We look upon all such violation of human relationships as being un-Christian and un-American on the basis of both Christian ideals and the foundation documents and principles of American democracy. Consequently, we declare all such discriminatory practices to be hostile to the Christian way of life and destructive to democratic society.

"Therefore, we call upon our churches and their individual members, first, to cleanse themselves of this evil venom of group prejudice; secondly, to resist it boldly wherever in their daily life it raises its poisonous head; thirdly, to labor unceasingly for tolerance, understanding, good-will, and brotherhood in the local community and on through into international relationships. We also appeal to all men of good-will outside the church to join in the great universal task of building a new fellowship among all men, the only basis for a lasting peace, and without which the survival of modern society has slight chance."

HOW THEY VOTED

U. S. Senators Guffey and Myers from Pennsylvania both were listed as voting against the motion of Senator Langer (R-N.D.) to recommit the nomination of George E. Allen as a director of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation. The motion lost 43 to 27. Congressman Gross was listed as "not voting" on a motion to recommit the urgent deficiency appropriation bill with instructions to eliminate \$1,854,000 for the OPA. The motion lost.

Whiskey Rebellion Errand  
Brought Washington Here

George Washington, father of his country, had his troubles like later chief executives and it was in connection with one of those difficulties that the first President of the United States made a trip through Adams county in 1794.

He slept over night in the county, at the Carey house, then Russell's tavern, about four miles northwest of Gettysburg along the Mummaburg-Hunterstown road, during that visit.

The old stone house, now marked by a bronze tablet erected by the local chapter of the DAR commemorating the October night in 1794 when the first President slept there, still is in use as a home, with Marlin Van Dyke living there. The building is owned by Harry Van Dyke.

Taxes, one of the main problems of American democracy, was the cause of the trouble—known as the "Whiskey rebellion"—which led the peoples of what was then the western part of the United States to grumble and plan a revolt against the newly organized United States in 1794.

Reviewed Troops At Carlisle

For several years before 1794 the people of Allegheny and other western counties of Pennsylvania were

"Hymns" Theme For  
Vesper Service

The vesper service at the Methodist church on Sunday evening will be built around the hymns that have played a large part in the building of the nation.

The service, arranged by Bernhard Ragner, Pittsburgh, will give historical facts concerning certain hymns, why certain outstanding men and women chose them. They will be presented by congregational singing, choir numbers, duets, and solos.

DR. HARRISON  
TO SPEAK AT  
RALLY SUNDAY

All laymen in Adams county today were urged to attend the address to be given Sunday evening at 8:15 o'clock in the Majestic theater here by Dr. Earl G. Harrison, dean of the University of Pennsylvania law school.

Dr. Thomas L. Cline, president of the Religious Laymen's association of Gettysburg, sponsors of the program and talk Sunday evening, asked all county men to attend because of the nature of Doctor Harrison's talk on "Hate vs. Brotherhood."

The Philadelphia attorney and former commissioner of immigration recently completed a survey of the condition of the Jews and other displaced peoples in western Europe. During the course of that inspecting tour he learned to a great extent how America's occupation of Europe is progressing. Much of his talk Sunday, Doctor Cline said, will be on the results of his findings in Europe.

Businessmen To Sing

Doctor Cline also pointed out that the hour, 8:15 o'clock in the evening, will allow churchgoers to attend the regular Sunday evening services and prior to going to the Majestic for the program and talk.

Scheduled for the evening are songs by the Business Men's chorus of 30 voices organized by George Raffensperger, and audience participation singing. Judge W. C. Sheely will introduce Doctor Harrison, who is one of the leading attorneys in the state.

Two local laymen, Burgess C. A. Heiges and Frank Dougherty, will offer the prayers for opening and closing the session.

The laymen's group is particularly interested in securing the attendance of as many young men as possible for the talk. Doctor Cline pointed out. Since much of the future peace of the world is based on American occupation policy, the talk will be of utmost importance to all, the Laymen's association head asserted.

Yost's Store Sold;  
Will Re-Open Soon

Yost's store, seven miles south of here along the Littlestown highway, will re-open soon under new ownership after having been closed for the last two years.

The Rev. Eugene S. Keller, superintendent of the boys' industrial school at White Hill, has sold the former Yost store together with its equipment, his home and seven acres of land to Carroll E. Cornell, Washington, D. C. He will take possession February 26 and will re-open the store at an early date. C. A. Heiges, Buford avenue, made the sale.

The store served Yost's community continuously for 80 years until it was closed about two years ago.

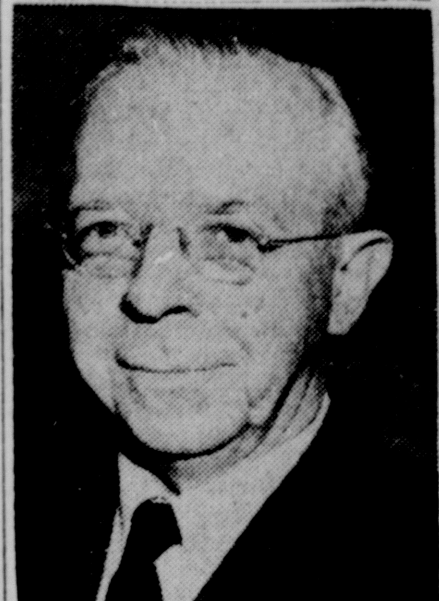
SUNDAY RALLY  
TO OPEN LOCAL  
FUND CAMPAIGN

The Lutheran churches of Adams county will sponsor a rally at St. James' Lutheran church, Sunday evening at 7 o'clock to launch the local campaign of a nation-wide appeal for \$10,000,000 to be used for church relief and rehabilitation activities in this country and abroad.

Carl M. Distler, Baltimore lawyer and prominent layman in the work of the United Lutheran church, will be the speaker. Mr. Distler, president of the Board of Social Missions of the church, is a graduate of Johns Hopkins university and the University of Maryland law school.

Organ Recital

The service will be preceded by an organ recital at 6:45 p. m. by



CARL DISTLER

Richard B. Shade, assisted by Miss Sara Jane Sheffer, soloist. The organ numbers will include "Toccata in G," by Charles Demarest, and "The Bells of Aberdorey," by H. J. Stewart; with Miss Sheffer singing the Aria "Here Ye Israel," from "Elijah," by Felix Mendelssohn. During the service the senior choir will sing "O Lord, Support Us," by Norman Hollett, and the senior high school choir will sing "Lord, We Come Before Thee Now," by C. M. von Webber. Dr. Ralph R. Gresh, chairman of the West Penn Conference Appeal, will be in charge of the service, with Dr. Dwight F. Putman, chairman of arrangements for the rally, assisting.

Churches taking part in the drive are members of the eight bodies affiliated with the National Lutheran Council, cooperative agency for two-thirds of the Lutherans in America. The council represents the United Lutheran Church, American Lutheran Church, Augustana Synod, Lutheran Free Church, United Evangelical Lutheran Church, Danish Lutheran Church and Suomi Synod (Finnish).

Two-Year Drive

Since 1939 these groups have raised \$6,634,891 in annual appeals conducted under the name of Lutheran World Action, and the funds have (Please Turn to Page 6)

BLUE AND GRAY  
ADDS MEMBERS

Four new members reported Thursday evening for the weekly rehearsal session of the reorganized Blue and Gray band at the engine house while additional contributions from 31 business places and individuals were announced in the band's campaign for funds.

The band is seeking \$3,500 and up to Thursday evening had gathered a total of \$1,410.50. New members added Thursday evening were Robert Shryock, Carl Taylor, Clyde Rohrbach and Robert Redding.

The new list of contributors to the finance campaign by the band follows: H. T. Stauffer, National garage, Carl S. Menchey, the Shoe Box, Blocher's jewelry store, John T. Augustine, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Miller, Remmel's Print shop, Marine Tavern, Epley's garage, Ned's Tavern, J. I. Herter and Son, Redding's grocery, Gilbert's food market, James B. Aumen, D. D. Kendlehart, Dr. C. G. Crist, Kike and Sam, barbers; H. E. Price, Gettysburg Motors, Busy Bee restaurant, American Legion post, Larson Cottage Court, Reel Tire service, Powell's Texaco service station, Ernest Kranias, Eva M. Pace, But's Lincolnway service station, J. E. Snyder and an anonymous donor who identified himself as "the old buzzard."

TWO DISCHARGED

Cpl. John A. Kinneman, 130 South street, McSherrystown, received his discharge from the army at Indian-town Gap on Thursday.

Thomas C. Harris, Jr., Y 1/C, Gettysburg, received his discharge from the navy at Charlestown, S. C., Thursday.

Just arrived: 100%, new all-wool cardigans, beautiful pastel shades. Helen-Kay Shop, Chambersburg street, Gettysburg.

3 Motorists Face  
Code Violations

Ten-day notices were mailed by Justice of the Peace Robert P. Snyder today to three motorists charged by Borough Police Officer Alfred Wolford with motor code violations. They were:

Merle C. McDannell, Gettysburg R. 2, charged with driving too fast for road conditions on Center Square Thursday evening; Joseph D. Weaver, McSherrystown, charged with passing a stop sign at Baltimore and West Middle streets early today; and Philip Rich, Pittston, Pa., charged with driving too fast for road conditions on Baltimore street today.

County Youth  
Expires Today  
Of Meningitis

Gerald King, 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice King, York Springs R. 1, died at the Warner hospital this morning at 11:30 o'clock from spinal meningitis.

Dr. William E. Flickinger, York Springs, was called to the King home Wednesday midnight and had the lad admitted to the Warner hospital early Thursday morning.

According to Dr. Flickinger, the boy had complained of having a cold. He was a student at the Plainfield school. The King home was placed under an observation quarantine, Thursday.

Surviving in addition to his parents are eight brothers and sisters: Mrs. Lester Wirt, Harrisburg; Helen, Carlisle; Glenn, on a 30-day furlough from the army; George, Adele, Janet, Lorraine and Dale, all at home, and the paternal grandfather, Solomon King, Dillsburg. Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

Two Drivers Are  
Charged By Police

G. Corbett Mitchell, Chambersburg, will be charged before Justice of the Peace W. D. Brown, Straban township, with driving a truck overloaded by 2,200 pounds, state police said today.

The local detachment of the state police also filed a charge of driving 60 miles an hour against Burnell J. Myers, Littlestown, R. 2, before Justice of the Peace Leo Storm, Mt. Pleasant township. A ten-day notice will be sent.

Hospital Report

Mrs. Elmer Hartman, North Washington street, and Mrs. Edward Meadows, Emmitsburg, have been admitted as patients to the Warner hospital. Those discharged were Mrs. Arthur Buehler, Buford avenue; Mrs. Violet Boyer, Biglerville R. D.; Robert Willis, Fairfield R. D.; Richard Leister, East Middle street; Mrs. Sterling Funt and infant son, Richard Clair, Biglerville R. 1; Mrs. Herman, Biglerville R. 1; Ephraim Keeney, Keymar, Md., and Mrs. Harvey Walter, Gettysburg R. D.

CHARGE WITHDRAWN

Charges of assault and battery and surety of the peace brought against Charles Mummert, Littlestown, by his wife before Justice of the Peace Howard G. Blocher, Littlestown, early this month have been withdrawn by Mrs. Mummert, who also paid the costs, according to a report received by the local detachment of the state police. The state troopers had served the warrants in the case.

HEARING IS POSTPONED

A hearing in the case of Harry H. Tawney, West Middle street, scheduled before Justice of the Peace Robert P. Snyder Thursday evening, was postponed until next Monday night. Tawney was arrested at 12:30 a. m. Thursday on a disorderly conduct charge on information filed by Mrs. Mary Gels, manager of the Greyhound Post House restaurant, North Washington street. He posted \$15 forfeit bail.

ARMY DISCHARGES 5

The following were discharged from the army this week at Ft. Meade, Md.: Sgt. Donald L. Trimmer, Abbottstown R. 1; Sgt. Clair I. Small, 163 Second street, McSherrystown; Sgt. George Smith, York Springs; Pvt. Daniel R. Leinhardt, Hampton, and T/5 Edward L. Melinger, Littlestown R. 2.

UNEMPLOYED GET \$385

Twenty-one checks totaling \$385 were paid Adams countians as unemployment compensation for the week ended February 8 it was announced today by Ramsey S. Black, state treasurer. For the same period 146 from the county received a total of \$2,912 under the Service Men's Readjustment act.

American Legion Dance tonight—Hotel Gettysburg Annex—See the car given away. Admission 50c.

Two-way stretch girdles, also elastic party girdles, small, medium and large. The Smart Shoppe, Carlisle street.

WELFARE UNIT  
NAMES BOARD  
OF DIRECTORS

Representatives of welfare agencies, service clubs and veteran agencies met Thursday night at the court house and completed plans for the formation of a county organization with the adoption of a name, a constitution and by-laws and election of nine directors.

With Dr. Robert A. Bream, assistant county superintendent of schools and chairman of the organization committee presiding, the group adopted the name "Adams County Welfare Council," as submitted by the constitution and by-laws committee, headed by Dr. Dwight F. Putman, pastor of Christ Lutheran church.

The following directors were elected: Mrs. Luella Musselman Arnold, Biglerville; Mrs. R. S. Saby, Gettysburg; Dr. Bream; the Rev. A. W. Geigley, Fairfield; Mrs. Rosalie Raffensperger, Arendtsville; Howard A. Stoner, Littlestown; Ivan Mechtly, New Oxford; Dr. Bruce N. Wolff, Gettysburg, and Doctor Putman.

To "Promote General Welfare"

Purpose of the organization, as outlined by Doctor Bream, is the promotion of the general welfare of the county through a study of county needs and resources, cooperative planning and correlation of health and welfare services, promotion of social improvements, and study of current plans and legislation for social welfare.

Initial aim of the new organization is the preparation of a directory of all county organizations and a schedule of their meetings. The next meeting of the council will be the annual meeting in May, as provided in the by-laws, the date to be set by the board of directors.

The constitution provides that membership in the council shall consist of those departments of government, organizations, agencies and individuals interested in health and welfare work in Adams county. The deliberative and functioning body for the council will be an assembly of delegates and individual members. Each organized group may be represented by two delegates.

16 Nominated

Directors were elected Thursday night from a list of 14 names suggested by Mrs. Elizabeth Grieb, chairman of the nominating committee, and two others nominated from the floor.

The constitution and by-laws were adopted with only two dissenting votes, those of Dr. Raymond F. Sheely, Gettysburg, and Dr. Raymond M. Hale, Jr., Arendtsville. Objection was on the basis of the definition of membership, it being proposed that only representatives of organizations have a vote in council matters.

Twenty representatives attended the meeting.

BULLETINS

Detroit, Feb. 22 (AP) — Special Mediator James F. Dewey said today that an agreement between General Motors and the CIO United Auto Workers in their prolonged strike dispute probably will be reached "some time between now and midnight."

Cairo, Feb. 22 (AP) — Order was restored to troubled Egypt today as British troops and Egyptian police kept close guard over British establishments which were attacked during violent rioting yesterday.

Pittsburgh, Feb. 22 (AP) —

Negotiations between Mayor David L. Lawrence and union and company officials in an attempt to head off the second power strike here in two weeks recessed at noon today with matters still tightly deadlocked.

Newly-Created Cardinals  
Receive Rings From Pope

Vatican City, Feb. 22 (AP)—Twenty-seven new cardinals created in a five-day cycle of unparalleled religious pageantry joined with their colleagues in the sacred college today at a final ceremony at which they received the last symbol of their rank—their rings.

Henceforward, they will be on an equal footing with the old cardinals in transacting all the business of the sacred college.

This morning's consistory, like the first one held Monday at which 32 new cardinals from 19 nations and all six continents of the world were created, was closed to all save Pope Pius XII and the princes of the church.

It was marked by the time-honored ritual of "The closing of the mouth" and "the opening of the mouth," symbolic of the cardinalial duty to counsel the pontiff and keep the secrets of their office. Members of the sacred college, at

Capt. Dearborn Is  
On Terminal Leave

Captain DeWitt C. Dearborn, of Harrisburg, formerly of Gettysburg, is now on terminal leave after four years of service with the U. S. army Signal Corps. Overseas he served in New Guinea and the Philippines as a radar officer.

He was separated from duty at Indian-town Gap.

Captain Dearborn was graduated from Gettysburg college in 1940.

HOME FOR CHILD  
LOCATED HERE  
BY BROADCAST

A nation-wide radio appeal for foster homes last fall resulted recently in the placing of a two-year-old county boy in an Arendtsville home by the Adams County Child Welfare Service.

The family heard the radio broadcast, wrote to the commentator who made the appeal and their inquiry was directed to the county child welfare office as the replies were dispatched to the agencies nearest the residence of the persons making the inquiries.

The placing of the two-year-old lad helped reduce temporarily a steadily growing list of boys and girls, many of them under three years of age, who are in need of foster homes in this county.

Care for 84 Children

Persons who take children of this age into their homes will be paid \$7 weekly for their maintenance. The funds are provided by the county. In spite of the fact that this financial assistance is offered the prospective foster home heads, most inquiries received at the Child Welfare offices on the second floor of the Murphy building, Baltimore street, are for older children—usually in their early teens—who have attained an age at which they will be of more assistance around the house or farm than the very young children.

Assistance with the children in the foster homes is given by Mrs. Elizabeth Grieb, executive secretary for the child welfare services, who visits each child regularly. With the increasing number of children under the care of the county organization, the advisory committee to the Child Welfare organization discussed at their meeting early this month the urgent need for an additional home visitor.

Eighty-four children now are under the care of the county organization—most of them in foster homes and the others in their own homes or in institutions.

SUNDAY BROADCAST

An adaption of Handel's "Largo" will be sung as a solo by Robert Hall Collins on the Christian Science transcribed program which will be broadcast over Station WBAL on Sunday at 9:15 a. m. Mr. Collins will be accompanied by Ruth Barrott Arno on the organ of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass. This organ comprises 76 stops and more than 5,000 pipes. Mrs. Hay (Violet Spiller) of London, England, wrote the words of the solo, entitled "Oh May My Voice."

ASSIGNED TO DUTY

Pfc. Harry R. Moser, son of Mrs. Daisy Lee Moser, York street, has been assigned to headquarters of the Middletown Air Technical Service Command here, it has been announced by Colonel David R. Stinson, commanding officer. Pvt. Moser originally entered the army in March, 1944, and re-enlisted in November, 1945.

AUXILIARY MEETING

The regular meeting of the Ladies' auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars will be held Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Odd Fellows' hall, Chambersburg street.

MAN IS FOUND  
DEAD IN HOME  
BY CO-WORKER

Charles Smith, 46 year old farm worker at the Heller Brothers farm near Bendersville, was found dead this morning with his head lying through a broken panel of the door of his home where he lived alone.

Members of the local state police sub-station and Dr. C. G. Crist, Adams county coroner, were conducting an investigation into the death today. One theory advanced to the coroner and police was that Smith had suffered a heart attack and had sought to get out the door in order to get the fresh air. According to the theory the man fell dead before he could get the door open and his head struck the lower panel knocking it out. His neck was resting on the lower portion of the door below the panel when found this morning.

Sergeant W. Kurt Dührhoff and Private Robert Deltrich of the local state police who investigated, said they found no marks of violence on Smith and that his neck was probably broken.

An autopsy will be performed later.

Found By Co-Worker

Paul May, near Brysonia, a fellow worker with Smith on the Heller farm, found the body when he arrived at the small building where Smith lived. May had gone there about 6:45 o'clock to meet Smith before going to the home of John Black, manager of the farm, to start the day's work. Black said that it was a standing custom for the two men to report to work together.

Smith had told fellow workers that he had two sons in the Navy and that he had several brothers and sisters still living, but Black said he had never seen any correspondence or any relatives of the dead man. Two years ago Smith took a vacation from the Heller farm where he worked the last three years in order to visit his relatives. It was the last known time that he saw any members of his family, according to Mr. Black.

Lived on Farm

Smith was employed all year around at the Heller farm and lived in a small house some distance from the residence of the manager. Black said that Smith had told him that he had been a coal miner, living near Wilkes-Barre, Pa., before leaving that section several years ago to come to Adams county. At (Please turn to Page 2)

B. S. COMMITTEE  
RE-ORGANIZES  
IN LITTLESTOWN

The Boy Scout committee held a reorganization meeting Thursday night in the P.O.S. of A. building, at which time Paul E. King, principal of schools, was selected as chairman; Edgar A. Wolfe, secretary; and Wilbur A. Bankert, treasurer. The other members of the committee are: Ervin A. Rebert, Leonard Kerchner, Stanley B. Stover, Luther D. Snyder, Luther W. Ritter, and Cloy Crouse.

The committee made plans for holding a joint meeting with the Rotary and Lions' club April 2 when Troop 84 will be presented with its charter. It was also decided to buy new benches for the Scouts' club room.

The following standing committees were appointed: Advancement committee, Leonard Kerchner and Luther W. Ritter; camping and activities, Luther D. Snyder and Stanley B. Stover; records and finance, Edgar A. Wolfe and Wilbur A. Bankert; equipment and transportation, Cloy Crouse and Erwin A. Rebert. The committee decided to meet the last Thursday of each month. Alton C. Bowers is scoutmaster.

LIONS CLUB MEETS

The Littlestown Lions club held its semi-monthly meeting Thursday evening at St. John's Lutheran church. Following dinner, served by ladies of St. John's congregation, a business meeting was held, with President Samuel Bucke in the chair and Edgar A. Wolfe acting in his capacity as secretary. After an opening song, "God Bless America," and the pledge to the flag, the invocation was given by the Rev. C. B. Rebert. The club made plans for a donkey basketball game, with the opponents to be members of the Rotary club. The matter now awaits action by the Rotary club.

Two new members were introduced, Clarence Schroll and Sterling Wisotzky. There were two guests, Preston Messinger, a member of the Sacramento, Cal., Lions club; and Leroy Wildasin. The club accepted an invitation from the Westminster (Please Turn to Page 6)

American Legion Dance tonight—Hotel Gettysburg Annex—See the car given away. Admission 50c.

Children's slacks, sizes 3 to 6 years, pastel shades. Cotton and rayon panties, 2 to 6 years. The Smart Shoppe, Carlisle street.



## ALLIED FORCES FACE DIFFICULT JOB WITH DP'S

By DEWITT MACKENZIE  
(AP World Traveler)

Herford, Germany, Feb. 22 — One of the difficult problems of the Allied forces of occupation in Germany has been the position of the large number of displaced persons from other countries.

These "DP's," as the British soldiers call them, were mostly Hitler's slave labor and prisoners of war. In this zone there originally were 2,450,000 who had to be housed, clothed, fed and kept warm. A million of these were Russians and another half million were Poles, the rest being mainly Italians, Dutch and French.

British authorities have repatriated all but 450,000 of these unfortunate folk and would repatriate the rest gladly.

### Some Not Ready To Go

But most of these displaced persons don't want to go home at this time. The majority of them are Poles and they are holding back mainly for economic reasons, although some say they are fearful on political grounds.

The authorities expect most of them will be ready to go back in the spring when the weather is good, but in the meantime they represent a half million mouths to feed in a Germany which already is struggling with a food, fuel and housing shortage.

Mrs. Mack and I encountered a most interesting cross-section of DP's in the barracks. Some half of them are Jews who were political prisoners in the Nazi murder camps. The members of this colony live in small groups in the rooms of the many barracks buildings. They are provided with all necessities and get better food rations than are allowed Germans.

### Special Privileges

Those who were prisoners in the awful concentration camps get special privileges, for many of them are in weakened condition.

There are schools for the children, and the DP's run them. Some of these folk work outside for the British and get better pay than the Germans.

Mrs. Mack and I talked with a number of groups among them one crowd of young Polish Jews, both boys and girls. We asked if they wanted to go back to Poland and there was a unanimous and rousing "no." "We want to go to Palestine," they chorused. Some want to be farmers. Others don't care so much what they do so long as they get to Palestine.

The British are prepared to repatriate all DP's as fast as they ask for it but there is no inclination to force anybody to go home against his will.

## LIDICE MOVIES SHOWN COURT

Nuernberg, Germany, Feb. 22 (AP)

—Movies of high S.S. officers strutting among the ruins of Lidice and grinning as they watched workmen blasting and hauling away the last visible traces of that Czechoslovak town were presented at the War Crimes Trial today.

The pictorial story of the wiping out of Lidice, which became the symbol for many European cities and towns left in ashes by the Nazis, was the Germans' own product. This captured film was presented in evidence before the International Military tribunal by the Soviet prosecution.

The Nazi defendants, some of whom were unable to face the screen during the showing of atrocity films, watched the scenes without visible emotion.

Soviet prosecutors earlier introduced a secret German army order which said the Nazi High Command was determined in 1941 to destroy Moscow and Leningrad even if Russia offered to surrender.

The order was signed by defendant Col. Gen. Alfred Jodl, former chief of the German High Command.

## Three Killed In Turnpike Crash

Bedford, Pa., Feb. 22 (AP) — An

army captain and two University of Michigan dentistry students were killed in an automobile accident on the Pennsylvania turnpike 14 miles west of here today.

State police reported the serviceman had offered a ride to the students and two companions, who were not seriously injured, after a minor accident to their car left them stranded near Somerset. The captain's name was withheld by army authorities.

Muriel S. Kleinwaks, Hillside, N. J., and Ralph G. Norbert, of Kingston, Pa., were fatally injured. Charles Jaslow, Bronx, N. Y., and Bert Gater, Brooklyn, suffered lacerations and contusions.

### LANDIS TOOL VOTE

Washington, Feb. 22 (AP) — The National Labor Relations board today directed an election within 30 days to determine the collective bargaining agency for employees of the Landis Tool Co., Waynesboro, Pa.

## Social Happenings

Phone Gettysburg 640 or Biglerville 8

Mrs. Earl M. Snyder and daughter, Joyce, of Brooklyn, Md., are spending several days here with Mrs. Snyder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William I. Shields, North Washington street.

Dr. and Mrs. Henry W. A. Hanson and son, Maj. Robert Hanson, college campus, are spending a few days in New York city.

Mrs. Radford H. Lippy entertained the members of the Thursday Afternoon Bridge club this week at her home on Chambersburg street. The next meeting will be held in two weeks with Mrs. M. T. Hartman.

Over-the-Teacups will meet Monday evening at the home of Mrs. W. D. Hartshorne, East Broadway. The program will be in charge of Mrs. Carl C. Rasmussen.

Capt. and Mrs. James Fiscus, Springs avenue, are spending some time in Baltimore.

Miss Margaret E. Ramer, Northport, Long Island, is spending the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Ramer, Buford avenue.

The Hospital Auxiliary will meet Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The annual dinner of the Inter-Faculty club will be held next Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock at Trinity Evangelical Reformed church. Dr. J. Duncan Spaeth, of Princeton university, will be the guest speaker. Arrangements for the meeting are in charge of Miss Dorothy Gregg Lee, dean of women at Gettysburg college, Dr. Carl C. Rasmussen and Dr. Fred Shaffer.

Lt. Commander Murray B. Frazee, Jr., and Mrs. Frazee, of Washington, D. C., arrived Thursday evening to spend a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Murray B. Frazee, Howard avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Donald Swope, West Broadway.

Mrs. Walter S. Mountain entertained the members of the Hospital Bridge club Thursday afternoon at the Hotel Gettysburg.

## MAN IS FOUND

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one time Smith had been a dairy worker and one summer, after he was employed at the Heller establishment, he worked at a dairy near Greentop.

The body was removed to Routson's funeral parlor, Bendersville, later this morning. Death apparently occurred sometime during the early hours of the morning, it was stated.

Black said that Smith had appeared in good health about 5:30 o'clock Thursday evening when he saw him for the last time and that he had never complained of ill health. He was a member of the Eagles lodge in Gettysburg and the Carlisle Moose lodge.

## Confused Poultryman Ships Experts Chicks

Richmond, Ind., Feb. 22 (AP)—William Lathrop, local hatchery owner, is so irked over government requests that chicken producers cut down their flocks because of fear of over-production this spring that he has sent 3,000 baby chicks to government officials just "to see what they do with them."

He expressed 1,000 baby chicks yesterday to President Truman at the White House, 1,000 to Clinton Anderson, secretary of agriculture, in Washington, and 1,000 to Governor Ralph Gates in Indianapolis. Each shipment included ten boxes of 100 chicks each.

Lathrop says poultry producers are confused and do not know what to do. He says many dealers have cancelled orders since the government indicated there might be an overproduction of poultry this spring.

### EMPLOYMENT OFF

Philadelphia, Feb. 22 (AP)—Factory employment in Pennsylvania increased during January but wage payments and total working time fell off by two per cent, the Federal Reserve bank of Philadelphia reported today.

### FAMILY ESCAPES

Hatboro, Pa., Feb. 22 (AP)—Benjamin Rogers and his wife dropped their three small children 15 feet through a second-floor window into the arms of a navy officer then leaped to safety as fire swept their home early today.

### ROTARY ANNIVERSARY

The Gettysburg Rotary club will celebrate the founding of Rotary International at its regular meeting Monday evening at the YWCA at 6 o'clock. A recorded address on Rotary's 41st anniversary by Paul P. Harris will be presented.

### GAME SATURDAY

The Biglerville Independent basketball team will be host to the Mt. Union Athletic club Saturday evening at 8 o'clock in the Biglerville auditorium.

### BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Gardner, Gardeners, announce the birth of a son at the Carlisle hospital Wednesday.

## Wedding

Harbaugh—Gulden

Miss Viola E. Gulden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Gulden, Gettysburg, and Lawrence R. Harbaugh, son of Mrs. Pearl Harbaugh, Gettysburg, were united in marriage last Monday evening by the Rev. M. A. Keesecker, pastor of the Caroline Street Methodist church, Baltimore.

## DEATHS

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## Russian Paper Flings Charges

Moscow, Feb. 22 (AP)—Russian-Canadian relations deteriorated further today when the official newspaper Izvestia charged in an editorial that Prime Minister W. L. McKenzie King and British Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin were trying "to undermine the growing international authority of the Soviet Union."

Only yesterday, the Communist party newspaper Pravda criticized King for his statement that Canadian secrets had been ferreted out by agents of a foreign mission. The Soviet Union announced that the Soviet military attache had obtained some information in Canada, but that it was unimportant. Russia said her military attache had been recalled.

Izvestia printed its editorial conspicuously this morning under a headline reading: "Downfall of King and his friends." The editorial was broadcast over the Moscow radio on both domestic and foreign services.

## NEW OFFICE IN CHINA WRECKED

Chungking, Feb. 22 (AP)—The three story downtown office and book store of the Communist New China Daily News was wrecked today.

Intruders smashed all furniture and tossed it out of windows with fittings, personal belongings of employees and books and papers, which were torn to bits.

Communists charged the intruders were Kuomintang (National) party secret service men. They said the intruders battled Communist employees from room to room and floor to floor.

Two employees were hospitalized with serious injuries. Meantime, more than 10,000 Chinese students marched through Chungking streets, demanding that Russia "quit Manchuria" and asking that Communists answer five questions, including "who is organizing puppet regimes in Manchuria?"

### NOTED DOCTOR DIES

York, Pa., Feb. 22 (AP)—Dr. George E. Holtzapfel, who made medical history 61 years ago by saving the life of a pneumonia sufferer through use of oxygen, died today. He was 83.

### MILK SUPPLY CUT

Detroit, Feb. 22 (AP)—Regular milk supplies of an estimated 750,000 Detroiters were cut off today as a dairy workers' strike entered its third day with union leaders far from optimistic over prospects of an early settlement.

## READERS LIKE THINGS OF SOIL NEWS FEATURE

Reader interest in "Things of the Soil," the daily column written by Dan P. Van Gorder, The Gettysburg Times agricultural editor, and the advice furnished gratis by The Times and Mr. Van Gorder on matters pertaining to lawn, garden and farm, reveal this to be one of the most valued and popular of The Times' special features.

"Carefully following your directions for spraying grapevines last summer, we had not a sign of black rot, which has bothered our grapes for a long time," wrote one Times reader. "Your articles in The Gettysburg Times have been invaluable to us."

Another reader sought, and obtained, valuable advice on the care of a large transplanted evergreen tree, and expressed appreciation to Mr. Van Gorder. "I am one of those who have followed your interesting accounts daily in The Gettysburg Times," wrote this man to Mr. Van Gorder. "I now have a special problem on which I will appreciate advice." After the latter was furnished, he wrote Mr. Van Gorder: "Many thanks for your advice on the treatment of transplanted evergreens."

### Asks Data On Orchards

From a Pittsburgh subscriber came a letter to Mr. Van Gorder seeking advice and information on the culture of orchids. This is not a "common, or garden variety" question, but Mr. Van Gorder was able to answer the questions to the complete satisfaction of the Pittsburgh man.

"My intentions are to build two small greenhouses about 20 feet in length for the cultivation of orchids, as a hobby, with a desire to expand it into a business in the years to come," wrote the Pittsburgh resident, who in the past five years has been engaged, so his letter said, in the cultivation of roses, tuberoses, begonias and gladiolus, as a hobby, and has found the work extremely interesting.

Reference was made in The Times in November to the construction of greenhouses, and this article was clipped by the Pittsburgh man. He was furnished, as per request, with the name of the editor of a magazine published by the American Orchid Society, sources of orchid plants, methods of packing and other pertinent information.

### Fruit, Shade Trees

"We are glad to enclose the information you seek on feeding fruit and shade trees," was Mr. Van Gorder's reply to another letter from a Times reader. "If there are any questions you wish to ask on these and all other lawn, garden and farm subjects, keep in mind always that our readers are privileged to write us whenever we can be of service."

One Gettysburg reader of the "Things of the Soil" column sought information on varieties of grapes suitable to Adams county soil and climate. "Improved varieties of grapes suitable for your region may include those not commonly grown in the immediate neighborhood, but as a safe rule it is seldom wise to adopt untried varieties except on an experimental scope," wrote Mr. Van Gorder. Advice on varieties of grapes best adapted to Adams county followed.

To another reader, Mr. Van Gorder wrote: "We are glad to send you the vegetable chart you request. These dates, while based on practices of commercial growers, are keys to maximum success in the home garden. Of course, unusual weather conditions may alter them slightly either way."

### Pruning Information

To another he wrote: "We are glad to furnish you the grape pruning information you request. This work should be completed within the next week or ten days, if possible, but even if delayed, until sap begins to rise, it should be done as advised."

Advice on the use of DDT solutions was furnished another Adams county reader of The Times, particularly as applied to the extermination of spiders and moth larvae, as requested.

"Please send instructions for using DDT," said the request. "Spiders and moths are my affliction. Is there a formula that can be used safely on carpets and furniture and around house plants?" Mr. Van Gorder furnished the answers.

African violet growing instructions were furnished another reader, and to another Mr. Van Gorder replied: "We are enclosing the information you request on building and operating cold frames."

Mr. Van Gorder gives freely of his own advice and instructions and also tells those who write him where to obtain additional information, such as from government publications and pamphlets, on various farm and garden subjects.

### TO QUIT POLITICS

Somerset, Pa., Feb. 22 (AP)—Rep. John Buell Snyder, Perryopolis Democrat, announced today he would retire from public office at the end of this year, his 14th as a U. S. Congressman.

### BACK STEEL WAGE

Pittsburgh, Feb. 22 (AP)—The CIO steelworkers reiterated today that steel fabricating plants can pay an 18 1/2 cent an hour wage increase—the same as accepted by basic steel—and still stay in business.

## Upper Communities

Frederic E. Griest, who flew to St. Louis last Sunday to attend a peach growers' conference, is expected to return to his home at Flora Dale this evening. Mr. Griest, who is president of the Pennsylvania State Horticulture society, represented that body at the meeting. He will be met in Harrisburg today by Mrs. Griest and her sister, Mrs. Joseph Stubbs.

Services at the Mt. Olivet United Brethren church will be resumed at 1:30 o'clock. The entire interior of the church has been redecorated.

The Faithful Followers' class of Bender's Lutheran Sunday school held a covered dish supper Thursday evening at the home of the teacher, Mrs. Willis Bream. Decorations, program and refreshments were in keeping with Washington's birthday. At the conclusion of the program the remainder of the evening was spent in playing games. Additional guests included Mrs. Henry W. Sternat, Mr. and Mrs. George Gaitner and children, Lois and Dickey, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dugan, Mr. and Mrs. John Mauss, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Lady, Mrs. Herring and Mrs. Mary Shaffer.

"What Christianity Means to Me" will be the topic for discussion at the regular meeting of the Young Peoples' Christian Endeavor society Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock at St. Paul's Lutheran church, Biglerville. Junior Walter will be the leader.

Mrs. John Hendrick and daughter, Jann, West Chester, have concluded a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frederic E. Griest, Jr., Bendersville.

Mrs. Annie Thomas, Gardeners, is celebrating her 91st birthday anniversary today. Mrs. Thomas, who suffered a fractured hip in a fall three years ago, has been bedfast since that time except for a brief period last summer. A sister, Mrs. Mary Brough, York Springs R. 1, will be 93 years old next Tuesday. Their only brother, H. W. Weidner, Seminary avenue, was 78 years old last Monday. The three are the only survivors of nine children of Stephen and Barbara (Guise) Weidner, of Adams county.

Mrs. F. Walter Wright entertained the members of the Carnation Guild Thursday afternoon at her home in Biglerville.

Sgt. Wilmer Diehl returned to Indiantown Gap Thursday after a seven-day furlough spent with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Diehl, of Biglerville who has been with a training group of the army air forces during the thirty-nine months of his service, expects to receive his discharge in the near future. Prior to his return home he had been stationed at Fort Worth, Texas.

Adrian Slaybaugh, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hoke Slaybaugh, of Biglerville, celebrated his sixth birthday anniversary Wednesday afternoon by entertaining a number of his friends at a party. The guests included Constance Stoner, Barbara Raffensperger, Dorothy Kuykendall, Vivian Geiselman, Timmie Eckenrode, Gary Wagner, Larry Boyer, Dickie Lawver and Freddie Hawbecker.

## Paralyzing Phone Strike On March 7

Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 22 (AP)—The nation's organized telephone workers girded today for an industry-paralyzing walkout on March 7 as the government offered its aid in adjusting grievances.

The executive board of the National Federation of Telephone Workers last night ordered a general strike of the 17 affiliated unions which have filed strike notices. The walkout is effective at 6 a. m. (each time zone) Thursday, March 7.

At the same time, Joseph A. Beine, 35-year-old president of the Independent Labor Organization, said the walkout would be nationwide and would affect all of the federation's 250,000 workers.

"The 33 other affiliated unions will respect picket lines to be established by the striking unions," he asserted.

## Engine House Fire Calls Company Out

Meyersdale, Pa., Feb. 22 (AP)—Roused from their beds early today, by this Somerset county community's wailing fire siren, volunteer firefighters reported for duty and found their own fire hall ablaze.

Fire Chief Edward G. Pike said flames apparently started in a newly-decorated social room and burned off wires attached to the siren, setting it off.

He estimated damage to the borough-owned building at \$4,500, but said \$7,000 insurance for the building did not apply to new furnishings in the social room, which was destroyed.

### \$50,000 FIRE

Beaver Falls, Pa., Feb. 22 (AP)—Fire yesterday swept five buildings here, destroying four of them, and did damage estimated by Fire Chief Charles H. Cooper at \$50,000. Three families were driven from their homes, phone service was cut off to 1,500 homes and business places, and five persons, including four firemen, suffered minor injuries.

## FBI SMASHES FIFTH COLUMN

Washington, Feb. 22 (AP)— Amid international anxiety over atomic bomb spying, the FBI disclosed today how it fought and licked the Axis wartime fifth column in America.

The FBI maintained its stoniest silence on the part it is now playing in guarding the secrets of atomic power. But the implication was clear that its guard is up, just as it was in the war's opening days when it destroyed the German and Japanese fifth column.

In ruining Axis hopes of a destructive fifth column shackling America's war effort, the FBI uncovered huge caches of weapons and explosives which could have been used in a widespread sabotage program. All kinds of maps and photographic material were seized, as well as short wave radios and code books.

On December 7, 1941, within a few hours after the Japanese attack, FBI agents arrested more than 1,000 Japanese.

Then, anticipating a declaration of war by Germany and Italy, FBI agents the next day began arresting other aliens who were dangerous to the nation's security.

Beginning January 8, 1942, the FBI began spot-checking the homes and businesses of enemy aliens to determine whether they were turning over prohibited articles as ordered by the government.

Since then, 23,881 have been searched, turning up vast stocks of contraband articles. Since the beginning of World War II, 16,062 enemy aliens have been arrested in the United States and its possessions, including 7,042 Germans and 5,428 Japanese.

## SEIZE ARMS IN BUENOS AIRES

Buenos Aires, Feb. 22 (AP)—Argentine police said today that a number of men had been arrested and a large quantity of arms seized in what was described as "a terrorist plot" to cause trouble before the Sunday general election.

Authorities asserted that captured documents showed the group planned a "terroristic" series of uprisings in Buenos Aires.

The police did not immediately identify the group with any political party, but contended that among those held were several known to be Communists.

The Communist party has been supporting Jose Tamborini, opponent of Col. Juan Peron for the presidency.

Authorities said they arrested a lawyer and found material in his home for manufacturing bombs. At other places, they said they located 151 pistols, 308 revolvers, 125 shotguns, 14 machineguns and a large number of bullets.

Despite the announcement, however, the government decided to lift the state of siege from 12:01 a. m. Saturday until midnight Sunday.

## New Purge Step Near In Japan

Tokyo, Feb. 22 (AP)—The government announced today that political party leaders falling under the ultra-nationalist purge have been asked to resign from party positions and to withdraw from "active political activities."

The announcement said this interpretation of General MacArthur's January 4 purge directive had been relayed to leaders of all parties. It was the first official statement that disqualification for political office also would eliminate those concerned from other political activities.

Simultaneously the government said it would announce soon, possibly Tuesday, the next phase of the purge. Authoritative sources said this would add hundreds of government officials, journalists, bankers, propagandists and jingoistic religious leaders to the list



## GHS CAN GAIN DIVISION TIE THRU VICTORY

Tonight Gettysburg high school basketball team will be given the opportunity of tying Chambersburg high for the southern division lead of the South Penn conference when Hanover high will be met on the Nighthawk court.

To gain a tie the Maroons must defeat their old-time rivals which would result in a playoff between Chambersburg and Gettysburg for the division honors and the right to meet Carlisle, northern division titlist, for the league championship.

One of the greatest concerns of Coach Forney is the feeling of overconfidence that may creep into the Maroon starters. Coach Forney pointed out that practically all Gettysburg-Hanover games on the Hanover court have been close in the past regardless of how much one team would be favored. Hanover has a knack of putting up its finest exhibition against Gettysburg and tonight is expected to be no exception.

On the basis of the season's records the Maroons will be favorites. The Forney-men defeated Hanover here on January 25 by a 40-28 score.

**Hanover Primed**  
The Nighthawks gave Chambersburg one of its biggest scares on the Hanover floor in dropping a three-point decision after leading most of the game. Coach Reese is certain to have his team in tip-top form for tonight's tilt and the Maroons will have to be set for one of their stiffest encounters.

Starters for Gettysburg will probably be Raffensperger, Rasmussen, Hess, Gorman and Heintzelman. The Hanover lineup will undoubtedly include Baubitz and Gohrecht, forwards; Stonieser, center, and Hostetter and Divney, guards. Bill Ridinger's reserves will attempt to repeat the 22-17 decision gained over the Hanover scrubs here when they clash in the preliminary game at 7 o'clock.

## Sports Roundup

**By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.**  
New York, Feb. 22 (AP)—All those minor league baseball teams that blithely jumped into higher classifications last December are finding they have to shell out for higher salaries to returning service men, even if they're not worth it. . . . Under baseball's National Defense rules, returning GIs are entitled to a 25 per cent increase if they were advanced in classification after joining the colors. . . . That means real dough to some clubs with extra-big lists. . . . Big Ed Danowski, Fordham's new grid coach, started as a high school tackle and became a back more or less by accident. In college Major Frank Cavanaugh never had heard of Ed until he started busting the variety wide open while lugging the ball for the scrubs. . . . No doubt Ed hopes a few modest guys like himself will turn up on the campus next fall.

### ROUNDBALL SQUARE

Basketballer Lou Desai, who came to Harvard via Bucknell, and Wynol Gray, who was shifted from Bowling Green to become Lou's Crimson teammate, not only room together but their homes are directly across the street from one another in Akron, Ohio. . . . Another resident of the same block in Akron is Bob Gerber, Toledo U. star a few years ago.

### ONE-MINUTE SPORTS PAGE

Leo Novak, Army track coach, maintains that Tex Coulter could consistently toss the shot better than 56 feet if he didn't stop in the middle of the ring. We always thought Tex could throw a Notre Dame halfback farther than that.

Reports from Oklahoma City name Bo Rowland, whose last civilian post was at the Citadel, and Babe Hollingsberry as top candidates for that "big time" grid coaching job at Oklahoma City U. . . . The Michigan-Army football game may be a sellout before summer. Michigan already has received thousands of orders long before the pasteboards go on sale. . . . New York and Manhattan each hold four legs on the I. C. 4-A indoor track team trophy, which has been in competition ever since the meet was begun. One more will retire it.

### Fairfield To Hold Baseball Meeting

All persons interested in the organization of a Fairfield baseball team are asked to meet at Fairfield high school Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

It was reported today that Fairfield fans and players plan to enter the Adams County league if the loop is reorganized.

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for  
**ALL OCCASIONS**  
**CREMER'S**  
HANOVER, PA.

## High School Junior League

	W	L	Pct.
Penn.	3	0	1.000
Army	2	1	.667
Navy	2	1	.667
Duke	1	2	.333
Temple	1	2	.333
Bucknell	0	3	.000

	FG	FM	FT	Pts.
Williams, f.	0	0	0	0
Campbell, f.	0	0	0	0
Olson, f.	2	0	1	4
Nunemaker, f.	0	0	0	0
Angelo, c.	1	0	0	2
Hess, g.	0	0	0	0
Miller, g.	0	0	0	0
Hottle, g.	4	1	4	9
Totals	7	1	5	13

	FG	FM	FT	Pts.
Steinburger, f.	4	0	0	8
Knox, f.	0	0	0	0
Dayhoff, c.	1	0	0	2
Meals, g.	0	0	0	0
Bisbing, g.	1	1	4	3
Totals	6	1	4	13

Score by quarters:  
Army 0 0 6 9—15  
Navy 7 2 4 0—13  
Referees: Poisson, Leech, Scorers: Plattenburg, Timekeeper: Breighner.

	FG	FM	FT	Pts.
Redding, f.	5	0	0	10
Schmidt, f.	0	0	0	0
Aughinbaugh, f.	2	1	3	5
Breighner, f.	0	0	0	0
Wyllight, c.	3	0	0	6
Bollinger, g.	1	1	2	3
Blocher, g.	0	0	1	0
Sanders, g.	0	0	0	0
Totals	11	2	2	24

	FG	FM	FT	Pts.
Settle, f.	2	0	0	4
Morlock, f.	0	0	0	0
Cooble, f.	0	0	0	0
Woodsin, c.	0	0	3	0
Pittenturf, g.	1	0	0	2
Little, g.	3	2	3	8
Totals	6	2	6	14

Score by quarters:  
Penn 7 5 5 7—24  
Bucknell 5 2 3 4—14  
Referees: Leech, Dubbs, Scorers: I. Plattenburg, Timekeeper: I. Breighner.

	FG	FM	FT	Pts.
Settle, f.	2	0	0	4
Ziegler, f.	0	0	0	0
Fissle, f.	0	0	0	0
Spangler, f.	0	0	0	0
Kane, c.	2	0	0	4
Gindlesburger, g.	1	0	0	2
Leedy, g.	4	1	2	9
Niebler, g.	1	0	0	2
Smith, g.	1	0	0	2
Totals	11	1	2	23

	FG	FM	FT	Pts.
Felix, f.	2	0	0	4
Hankey, f.	1	0	0	2
Yingling, c.	2	0	0	4
Williams, g.	0	0	2	0
Taughinbaugh, g.	1	0	1	2
Cole, g.	0	0	0	0
Totals	6	0	3	12

Score by quarters:  
Duke 4 8 4 6—24  
Temple 6 4 0 2—12  
Referees: Leech, Hockey, Scorers: Plattenburg, Timekeeper: Breighner.

## Fights Last Night

(By The Associated Press)  
Baltimore, Feb. 22 (AP)—Jimmy McAllister, 127½, Baltimore, outpointed Vince Dell Orto, 132, New York, 10.  
Philadelphia — Johnny Walker, 157, Philadelphia, outpointed Bobby Berger, 151, Philadelphia, 8. Tom Collins, 11, Philadelphia, knocked

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## LIST SITES FOR CAGE PLAYOFFS; ONE GAME HERE

Steelton, Pa., Feb. 22 (AP)—Eight Class A teams and 16 from Class B were listed today to participate in the PIAA District 3 playoffs which open March 3.

Chairman James Neely of Lancaster said the pairings arranged at a meeting here yesterday schedules the Class A opening round games for March 7 and 8. The semi-finals were slated for March 12 and the finals on March 15.

Initial contests among the Class B aspirants will be held on March 5 and 6, with the second round on March 9; semi-finals, March 13 and finals, March 16.

The pairings and first-round sites as announced by Neely are:

**Class A**  
(All games of first round March 8 unless otherwise indicated.)

(1) Southern division, Southern Pennsylvania conference (Chambersburg or Gettysburg) vs. Middletown (highest ranking Class A team in suburban league) at Dickinson college, Carlisle.

(2) West York vs. Lititz at Millersburg State Teachers' college.

(3) Lancaster vs. Muhlenberg township at Lebanon. (On March 11).

(4) Carlisle vs. East Hempfield at Steelton.

Semi-finals: Bracket 1 vs. Bracket 2 and 3 vs. 4.  
Finals: 1-2 winner vs. 3-4.

**Class B**  
(All games March 6 unless otherwise indicated.)

(1) Suburban league (Camp Hill, Lemoyne or Swatara) vs. Hellam at York. (March 8).

(2) East Berlin vs. Franklin county league (Greencastle or Mercersburg academy) at Gettysburg.

(3) East Lampeter vs. Dallastown at Lancaster.

(4) Robesonia vs. Palmyra at Lebanon.

(5) Manheim Township vs. Mohnnton or West Reading at Ephrata.

(6) Paxon Township vs. Duncannon or Newport at Camp Hill.

(7) Rothsville vs. Kutztown, Hamburg or Boyertown at Wyomissing.

(8) Millersburg vs. Susquehanna township at Steelton.

Second round: Bracket 1 vs. 2; 3 vs. 4; 5 vs. 6; 7 vs. 8.

Semi-finals: 1-2 winner vs. 3-4 winner, and 5-6 vs. 7-8.

Finals: Winner in Brackets 1-2-3-4 vs. winner 5-6-7-8.

## Urge Listing Of All Job Openings

Harrisburg, Feb. 22 (AP)—The U. S. Employment Service shifted into high gear today its drive to have Pennsylvania employers list all available job openings with local employment offices "to provide suitable employment opportunities for job seekers."

The campaign is part of a nationwide effort to meet job needs of an estimated 6,000,000 unemployed persons, most of them veterans, said Florin J. Boland, state USDES director.

Work applications of approximately 140,000 men and women are now on file in Pennsylvania, Boland said, including "workers of every type and degree of skill, training and experience."

"These files," he added, "are due to be swelled in the next few months by a flood of returning servicemen, whose prewar skills have in many cases been sharpened and increased through their military training and experience."

out Ray Carroll, 157, Philadelphia, 3. Atlantic City — Willie Weasle, 125½, Philadelphia, outpointed Filberto Osario, 123½, Havana, 8.

## Walters And Lord Deadlocked On Score

Philadelphia, Feb. 22 (AP)—Two sharpshooting collegiate court stars — Bob Walters of LaSalle and Joe Lord of Villanova — were deadlocked today with 303 points each in Pennsylvania's basketball scoring race.

And just two points behind the leaders was Harry Donovan, Muhlenberg college freshman, who has narrowed his distance from first place steadily in the past month.

Walters, who tops the field goal department with 131 two-pointers, has the best per game average among the top scorers. He has tossed in an average of 15.9 points in each of his 19 games, while Lord in 23 games has netted only 13.2. Donovan, who heads the free throw list with 79, has a 14.4 total in 21 games.

## Willie Goggin In Lead At Pensacola

Pensacola, Fla., Feb. 22 (AP)—Venerable Willie Goggin, the Metropolitan PGA champion from White Plains, N. Y., went out today for the second round of the \$7,500 Pensacola open golf tournament determined to protect his two-stroke lead.

Most of the game's other top professionals, particularly the great Byron Nelson of Toledo, Ohio, were facing an uphill battle in the race to overtake the 40-year-old Goggin, who fired a six under par 66 yesterday after spending two days in bed this week ill with food poisoning to face the field, Ed Furgol of Detroit, until recently one of the top amateurs, was in second place with a 68.

Ben Hogan of Hershey, Penn., winner of two of the seven tournaments played this year, Freddie Haas, Jr. of New Orleans, and Herman Kessler of Akron, Ohio, were included in a group of nine who finished one stroke back of Furgol.

## Temple Quintet To Get Toughest Test

Philadelphia, Feb. 22 (AP)—Temple university's giant-killing basketball team goes to work on its toughest assignment at Convention hall tomorrow night, trying to defeat New York university.

NYU's Violets, triumphant in 15 of 16 games—the only loss was a two-point to North Carolina—meets Temple in the second game of

## FOR SALE

Eighty-four-acre farm, six-room frame house, electric, barn, wagon shed, hog stable, two chicken houses, 28x20 garage, summer house, smoke house, two wells, 14 acres pasture and woodland, 10 acres growing wheat. BARGAIN AT \$6,500 FOR QUICK SALE Possession to suit buyer Located in Pennsylvania, 1 mile from Harney, Md.

## PUBLIC SALE

Two business places in and around Littlestown, Pa. Requires lot of cash. See STANLEY SELL East King St., Littlestown, Pa. Salesman for John S. Hollinger.

## PUBLIC SALE

of Valuable Live Stock and Farm Implements MONDAY, FEB. 25, 1946 The undersigned will offer at public sale, at his farm, located on the hard road between Red Mount Church and Two Churches, about 6 miles north of East Berlin, the following:

20 Head of Milk Cows

Mostly Holstein, some registered; 3 head Black Angus cows; 16 head

Holstein heifers; 7 head Holstein bulls, big enough for service; 2 head Black Angus bulls;

Four Brood Sows, Twenty-Five Shoats

Ranging from 50 to 175 lbs.; 600 bushels oats, International milk cooler, 4-can capacity; 10 milk cans, milk strainer;

Farming Implements Oliver tractor and corn worker, 10-20 McCormick-Deering tractor, W-30 McCormick-Deering tractor, set of McCormick-Deering tractor plows, 8-ft. cut McCormick-Deering binder, 7-ft. cut McCormick-Deering tractor mower, on rubber; Case four bar tractor side delivery rake, New Idea side delivery rake, dump hay rake, International; International tight-bottom hay loader, 20-ft. bale elevator, Oliver tractor manure spreader, double row McCormick-Deering corn planter, McCormick-Deering 8-ft. double disc, 2 three-section lever harrows, four-section lever harrow, 9-ft. double row cultipacker, line drill, like new; 2 wagons, 2 sets of hay carriages, 18-ft.; rubber tire wagon, two-wheel sled, 2 electric fence controllers, 2 sets of Platform scales, 75-ft. double belt, 7-in.; 50-ft. double belt, 7-in.; 2 pump jacks, electric brooder stove, used one season, 500 capacity; coal brooder stove.

Sale to begin promptly at 12:30 o'clock P. M., when terms and conditions will be made known by GEORGE ANDERSON Bruce Harbort, Auctioneer R. P. Patton and Frank Sealover, Clerks

Refreshments Served by the Ladies of the Red Mount Sunday School.

## 66 ELIGIBLE FOR PREAKNESS

Baltimore, Feb. 22 (AP)—Sixty-six of the nation's finest three-year-olds, headed by eight from the Maine Chance farm, were named as eligible today for the 1946 Preakness Stakes which is expected to wind up with a \$140,000 jackpot for the richest race in American turf history.

The May 11 classic at Pimlico, like the Kentucky Derby and the Belmont Stakes, is endowed for the first time with \$100,000 added gift. But, unlike the other events that make up racing's triple crown, the Preakness operates under futurity conditions which are expected to boost the gross value another \$40,000.

Thus, this mile and three sixteenths fixture may surpass the record gross of \$137,550 for the 1938 Santa Anita Handicap, won by Stagehand.

In the lineup for this 56th Preakness are 36 owners, listing 61 colts, three fillies, and two geldings, among them most of last year's crack juvenile performers.

Topping the Main Chance farm eligibles are Beaugay and Star Pilot, the juvenile filly and colt champions of last year; the highly-regarded Lord Boswell, Knockdown and Colony Boy. This quintet won 26 races, picking up \$371,045 of the \$589,170 total collected by Mrs. Elizabeth N. Graham as the leading money winner of 1945.

the hall doubleheader, a sellout a week in advance.

City college of New York plays St. Joseph's of Philadelphia in the opener.

Temple, rated a leading contender for national laurels before the season opened, floundered through its first 12 games, winning six and losing six, but counted among its victims previously unbeaten Muhlenberg, Kentucky, and Bainbridge naval base.

## PUBLIC SALE

FRIDAY, MARCH 1, 1946 1 O'Clock

The undersigned will sell at public sale on above date on farm situated in Straban township, along highway from Gettysburg to Boonerville two and one-half miles from Gettysburg, Pa., the following personal property:

Cow, carrying her third calf; McCormick Deering manure spreader; McCormick Deering riding furrow plow; check row corn planter. Above articles in excellent condition. McCormick mower, five-foot cut; two-horse wagon and bed; Champion binder, six-foot cut; corn worker; 18-tooth wood frame harrow; roller; single-disc; Oliver chilled plow; hay rope; hay carriages 16-foot black smith vise; wind mill; scalding trough; cutting box; single-double and triple-trees; iron kettle; 125 locust posts; harness; three sets front gears; driving harness; collar; bridle; lines; halters, etc. And other articles not herein mentioned.

Terms cash. Further conditions will be made known by MRS. FLORA DEARDORFF Thompson, Auctioneer, Collins and Son, Clerks.

## PUBLIC SALE

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE AND PERSONAL PROPERTY

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1946

The undersigned will offer at public sale on Thursday, February 28, 1946, on the premises located in Mount Pleasant Township, Adams County, Pennsylvania, on the road leading from the Lincoln Highway at Clark's Service Station to Hunterstown, the following real estate and personal property:

**REAL ESTATE**

Tract No. 1

ALL that tract of land situated in Mount Pleasant Township, Adams County, Pennsylvania, containing 99 acres and 154 perches, improved with a 10-room brick dwelling with slate roof, large summer house, bank barn, two chicken houses, brooder house, electric water system at house and barn, milk house equipped to ship milk, and hog pen. This valuable property is located along the Conewago Creek and affords fine pasture for cattle.

Tract No. 2

Consisting of a wood lot situated in Berwick Township, Adams County, Pennsylvania, containing eight acres and 48 perches.

**PERSONAL PROPERTY**

12 Guernsey cows, steer, bull, three calves, three head of young cattle, four horses, 17 shoats; sow, with pigs by her side; 30 guineas, drill, corn binder, mower, McCormick-Deering tractor, corn planter, corn worker, spike harrow, tooth harrow, low bed wagon, horse hay rake, tractor plow; two-milk master units, almost new; four-can Niagara milk cooler; Weed master electric fence, two iron kettles, butcher's furnace, six 80-lb. milk cans, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Sale will commence promptly at eleven o'clock a. m., at which time terms and conditions of sale will be made known by the undersigned.

ESTHER G. BENTZEL, in her own right and as administratrix of the estate of Ray D. Bentzel, deceased.

Swope, Brown & Swope, Attorneys for Estate, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania Nathaniel Miller, George Haar Auctioneers C. E. Smith, Mark Stock Clerks

## Sport Shorts

Barabank, Calif., Feb. 22 (AP)—James J. Jeffries, former world's heavyweight boxing champion, was reported in a serious condition today following a stroke that paralyzed his left side.

Dr. William Netherby said the 70-year old former fighter was showing improvement generally and that, barring further complications, should recover.

Jeffries, who operates an amateur gym-arena known as "Jeffries' Barn," was stricken at his home Tuesday. Rendered inarticulate at first, his speech gradually is returning, his physician said.

Los Angeles, Feb. 22 (AP)—"I'm all through popping off," Lou Novikoff popped off. "From now on I'm playing ball and letting the other fellow do the talking."

Thick shouldered Lou said that while he has not yet signed his contract with the Philadelphia National League ball club, he's definitely not a holdout. "I'm leaving for Miami Beach Monday and will sign when I get there."

Cleveland, Feb. 22 (AP)—The Fighting Irish of Notre Dame will not have a national championship football team next fall but the 1946 Ramblers also won't suffer any 48-0 defeats to Army or any other team, declares head coach Frank Leahy. The Irish athletic director and grid mentor, welcomed back from naval service by the Notre Dame club of Cleveland last night, told

## PUBLIC SALE

FRIDAY, MARCH 8, 1946 1 O'Clock

The undersigned, intending to quit farming, will offer for sale, stock and machinery, situated in Huntington township, Adams county, Pa., on road from Gardner's to Ziegler's Mill.

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## Just Folks

By Edgar A. Guest

ONLY ONE GEORGE

George Washington, so we've been told,

When he was seven or eight years old,

Chopped down his father's cherry tree,

A trick which once occurred to me.

But, father did not ask me, "Who?"

Beyond a doubt right off he knew,

He never stopped to question why.

He gave to me no chance to lie.

But, just as mad as he could be,

When he beheld that fallen tree,

He said: "Right now I'll teach you, son,

That you're no George Washington!"

"This hurts me more than you,"

said he,

"Henceforth with hatchets careful be.

If you must chop, chop firewood please,

And stay away from cherry trees,

And bear in mind, when seeking fun,

That I'm not Father Washington."

## Today's Talk

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

NAMES

Names catalog a scene, a place,

a street, a body of water, a state,

or whatever is designated. Names

are very important in setting the

object apart, and planting it in the

memory with meaning.

Thoreau discusses this subject in

his book "Walden" and says: "If the

fairest features of the landscape

are to be named after men, let them

be the noblest and worthiest men

alone. Let our lakes receive as true

names at least as the Icarian Sea,

where 'still the shore' a 'brave at-

tempt resounds."

To this day that beautiful lake in

Western Canada, Lake Louise, has

no meaning to me, but the one a few

miles distant from it called Emerald

Lake has, its waters are as a sheet

of emerald green in a setting of

green foliage.

Names like Nova Scotia (new

Scotland) and Providence, Rhode

Island, as well as so many of the

states in the United States, named

after places in the Mother country,

and scores of states, rivers, and

towns, named after the early In-

dians, gave to each an historic

flavor, as well as a distinct per-

## Out Of The Past

From the Files of the

Star and Sentinel and

The Gettysburg Times

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

Borough Observes Anniversary of

Washington's Birth: Gettysburg

quietly observed the 199th anni-

versary of the birth of George

Washington. Down in Philadelphia

on Sunday after nearly a century

of silence, broken only on one or

two occasions, the tones of the Li-

berly Bell, muffled but impelling

called together a nation in solemn

observance of the 199th birthday of

the father of the republic, George

Washington.

Thirteen times it rang softly as

Mayor Harry A. Mackey, of Phila-

delphia, struck the historic relic

with a rubber mallet. Microphones

broadcast the muffled sounds over

the country in a nationwide hook-

up.

"Romeo and Juliet" Will Be Pre-

sented by College Players: The most

pretentious play of the current

theatrical season at Gettysburg col-

lege, "Romeo and Juliet" will be

given in the Eddie Plank memorial

gymnasium Friday evening.

Miriam Waltemeyer will appear as

Lady Montague and Luella Mussel-

man as Lady Capulet.

Back at Work: Miss Nina G. Stor-

rick, Lincoln avenue, who has been

ill for five weeks, on Monday re-

sumed her position as secretary to

Attorney J. Donald Swope. During

Miss Storrick's absence, Mrs. Paul

Singmaster, Seminary avenue, filled

the position.

Circus Star Killed: Copenhagen,

Feb. 16 (AP)—Lilly Leitzel, one of

the most popular of circus stars died

Sunday in delirium as a result of a

plunge to the floor in Valencia

Music hall, Friday night, when an

iron trapeze ring broke.

New Store Locates as Laundry

Branch: The Ideal Cleaners estab-

lishment located on Carlisle street,

and recently closed, has been re-

opened by the Troy laundry, of Hag-

erstown. Leo A. Dillman, formerly

in the employ of Brehm, the tailor,

is manager of the establishment.

Mr. Dillman announced that he

would conduct a general cleaning,

pressing and dyeing business in con-

nection with the branch station of

the laundry.

Von Schwerdtner Parents of

Twins: Twins, a boy and a girl, were

born to Prof. and Mrs. Ernest O.

von Schwerdtner, Baltimore street,

at Mercy hospital, Baltimore,

Wednesday. The von Schwerdtners

have two other children.

Indoor Golf Team Loses on Thurs-

day: The crack indoor golf team

representing the C. W. Epley course

was defeated by Chambersburg on

## ATOMIC BOMB

TEST AT SEA

TO BE USEFUL

Philadelphia, Feb. 22 (AP)—The

atom bomb tests on naval vessels

will be "useful for the national de-

fense," says Vice Adm. W. H. P.

Blandy, but it won't kill all the fish

in the sea or put a hole in the

ocean.

Blandy, commander of the joint

task force which will supervise the

Bikini atoll tests next spring and

summer, told the Philadelphia chap-

ter of the American Red Cross last

night he was "not an atomic play-

boy" conducting the operation "to

satisfy my own personal whim."

"Some people ask me why the

tests are necessary when we already

know all there is to know about the

atom bomb," Blandy asserted.

"This test will undoubtedly throw

strong light on needed changes in

design of ships and aircraft, in

ground weapons, in naval tactics and

strategy," he said.

Different Navy Needs

The U. S. will need a navy "so

long as the sea is needed as a high-

way for ships carrying personnel or

cargo in war" the admiral con-

tinued, x x x "but the kind of navy

needed in the new atomic and guided

missile age may be quite different

from what we have now."

Blandy, referring to numerous

questions he received in "fan mail,"

said the bomb "will not kill half the

fish in the sea and poison the other

half, so they will kill all the people

who eat fish hereafter."

"It will not start a chain reaction

in the water, converting it all to

gas and letting all the ships on all

the oceans drop to the bottom. It

will not blow out the bottom of the

sea, letting all the water run down

the hole. It will not cause an earth-

quake or push up new mountain

ranges. It will not cause a tidal

wave. It will not destroy gravity."

Church of the Brethren

The Rev. Roy K. Miller, pastor,

Sunday school at 10 a. m.; worship

with sermon, "Ye Shall Be My Wit-

nesses," at 11 a. m.; young peoples'

meeting at 7:30 p. m.

St. James Lutheran

The Rev. Dr. R. R. Gresh, pastor,

Ross Forey, student assistant, Sun-

day school with Men's Bible class

taught by J. I. Heretzer at 9:15 a. m.;

worship with sermon, "Is Life Worth

Living?" at 10:30 a. m.; Junior

High School and Senior Christian

Endeavor at 6 p. m.; organ recital

by Prof. Richard B. Shade, assisted

by Miss Sara Jane Sheffer, soprano,

at 6:45 p. m.; Lutheran World Ac-

tion Rally with address by Carl M.

Distler, Baltimore, at 7 p. m. Mon-

day, Cardinal Girl Scouts at 4 p. m.;

Sunday school orchestra at 7 p. m.;

## CHURCH SERVICES

IN

Gettysburg

Christian Science, Kadel Building

Service with Lesson-Sermon,

"Mind," at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday

school at 10:30 a. m. Services the

first Wednesday of each month at

7:30 p. m. Reading room open every

Thursday from 2 to 4 p. m.

Seventh Day Adventist, Odd Fellows

Hall

Saturday, Sabbath school at 9:30

a. m.; worship with sermon at 11

a. m.

St. Francis Xavier Catholic

The Rev. Mark E. Stock, rector,

Masses Sunday at 7, 9 and 10:30 a.

m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.;

sodality meeting at 7 p. m.; Rosary

and benediction at 7:30 p. m. Masses

Holy days at 5:30, 7:30 and 9 a. m.

Four-square Gospel

The Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Myers,

pastors, Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.;

worship with sermon at 11 a. m.;

young peoples' crusader meeting at

6:30 p. m.; evangelistic service at

7:30 p. m. Wednesday, prayer and

praise service at 7:45 p. m.

Trinity Evangelical Reformed

The Rev. Howard Schley Fox, pas-

tor, Church school at 9:30 a. m.;

divine service at 10:30 a. m.; ves-

pers at 7 p. m. Tuesday, Zwingli

Circle at the church at 2 p. m.;

Wednesday, junior choir at 3:30 p.

m.; chancel choir at 4 p. m.; high

school choir at 7 p. m.; senior choir

at 8 p. m. Saturday, catechetical

class at 1:45 p. m.

Christ (College) Lutheran

The Rev. Dr. Dwight F. Putman,

pastor, Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.;

worship with sermon by Robert

Beharry at 10:45 a. m.; young

peoples' meeting at 7 p. m.; Luth-

eran World Action rally in St.

James Lutheran church at 7 p. m.;

men's mass meeting in the Ma-

jestic theatre at 8:15 p. m. Monday,

Brownie Girl Scouts at 4 p. m. Tues-

day, Cub Scout pack at 7 p. m.;

Wednesday, children's choir at 4

p. m. Thursday, Boy Scouts at 7:15

p. m.; adult choir at 7:30 p. m.

Church of the Brethren



## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

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FOR SALE: FOUR FARM TYPE tractors and cultivators; McCormick-Deering and John Deere corn huskers and pickers; 22 inch and 28 inch threshers; McCormick-Deering combine; New Highland slicer baler; corn binders. R. Johnston, Bittner, Waynesboro, Phone 944-R-5.

FOR SALE: 12 BUSHES HOME grown clover seed, also two registered Holstein cows, baled clover or timothy hay. G. C. Tanger, York Springs.

MARTIN-SENOR PAINT, BIG-leville Hardware.

FOR SALE: OLD FASHIONED safe, good condition. Apply John D. Rosensteel, Gettysburg, R. 1.

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FOR SALE: PRYERS, LIVE OR dressed. Phone 945-R-2.

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FOR SALE: SOLID MAHOGANY dining room suite, eleven pieces; also roll top desk. Comeggs Brown, McKnightstown.

FOR SALE: DR. SALSBURY'S Poultry Remedies. Bender's Cut Rate Store.

FOR SALE: HOME GROWN CLOVER seed. Luther Schwartz, Gettysburg R. 1.

TOOLS. LOWER'S.

FOR SALE: DRY WOOD, STOVE length, small amount delivered promptly. Charles Hess, Fifth street. Phone 38-Y.

FOR SALE: GREY ENAMEL combination coal and gas stove. 44 South street.

FOR SALE: UNIVERSAL ELECTRIC sweeper, good condition. Phone Biglerville 33-R-14.

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FOR SALE: COMPLETE SET OF steel shafted golf clubs, perfect condition. Irons 1 to 9, driver, brassie, spoon with bag. Also Eastman camera, post card size. Phone 372-W.

FOR SALE: SMALL QUARTER OF baby beef. About 50 pounds. L. D. Plank, Round Top.

FOR SALE: LEGHORN COCKERS els Monday and Thursday at \$1.50 per hundred. Roy Heckenluber. Phone Biglerville 126-R-3.

## MARKETS

## Gettysburg Grain-Eggs

Market prices at the Gettysburg warehouse and the Egg Co-Op Association corrected daily as follows:

Wheat	1.84
Barley	1.35
Corn (Shelled)	1.27
Rye	1.25
Large eggs	.39
Medium eggs	.38
Pullet eggs	.37
Duck eggs	.42

## Baltimore Fruit-Poultry

APPLES—Mkt. firm. Bu. box, U.S. 1s, Md. Pa., Va., W.Va., Yorks, Grimes, Ben Davis, 4.50-4.75; Delicious, Yorks, Ben Davis, 4.50-4.75; Black Twigs, 2 1/2 in., \$4.91. Various varieties, ungrd., \$4.25-4.50; pears, small, \$2.35-4.

Market duck. Receipts moderate. Wholesale selling prices (including commissions) in Baltimore:

ROASTERS, FRYERS AND BROILERS—Colored, 22-25, few large higher; Leghorns, 22-24.

LIVE TURKEYS—Market steady on hens and small toms, dull on large toms. Young turkeys, 37-39.8c; heavy toms, over 20 pounds, 28-32c.

## Baltimore Livestock

CATTLE—Continued light cattle receipts at the close of this week created an active trading session for all slaughter classes except steers, these sold very slow and at the close of the market two heads of top good and choice arrivals remained in first hands. Local buyers again set the trading pace with big packers only buying a limited number of cows.

Slaughter steers steady to weak as compared with Monday of this week. In this district a load and a truck lot of top good and choice fed steers averaging from 1,150-1,160 pounds, \$16.50, day's top. A few lots of low and average good shorted arrivals, \$16.25-16.25. Medium grade steers, mostly odd lots, \$12-14.80.

Heifers steady with Wednesday. A single choice fed heifer, \$16.50 top, with a top good arrival, \$16. Low and average good shorted, \$14-15, and common and medium heifers, daily heifers of dairy breeding, \$10.50-13.50. Cow trading fully steady with Wednesday. Common and medium cows largely from \$10-12, with high yielding individuals, \$13.50-14. Canners and cutters, \$7.50-9.50 with strong weight canners, \$8 up.

Calves steady with earlier this week. Good beef bulls relatively scarce. An odd low good beef bull, \$13.50. Good weighty sausage bulls, \$12.00-13, with cuts, top common and medium grades, \$10-12. Included in today's receipts was a load of medium and good weighty feeder steers steady at \$14.75.

CALVES—Broad demand for vealers and lighter slaughter calves created an active market with prices unchanged from Wednesday. Mixed lots of good and choice 220-pound vealers, \$17.50; mainly \$17.50. Common and medium grades, \$12-15, with cuts, with most sales starting at \$12. Culls around \$8.50, with extreme lightweight calves down to \$5. Good weighty slaughter calves, \$12-15, with common and medium grades, \$10-13.

HOGS—Swine trading active and steady with Wednesday. All interests compact. Good and choice barrows and gilts selling from 140-375 pounds, \$15.40, ceiling. Comparable grades weighing from 375-450 pounds, \$15. Good sows, \$14.40.

SHEEP—Receipts of slaughter lambs and slaughter ewes too meager to warrant a fair test of the market. Industry board and the undertone steady. Good and choice fed wooled lambs, \$15-16.50, common and medium, \$12-15, and culls around \$9. Choice lightweight wooled slaughter ewes, \$10-12, with common to good grades, \$9.50-10.50, according to grade.

## FOR SALE GENERAL

FOR SALE: TWO PAT HOGS, also hind quarter beef. Phone 53-R-21 Biglerville.

FOR SALE: HOLSTEIN COW; Guernsey cow with calf. Irvin Grace, Harrisburg road.

FOR SALE: 13 CU. FT. HOM-HOE farm freezer or locker for storing meats. Used 2 months. Reason for selling, too small. Priced to sell. Ralph Stonelifer, Keymar, Md.

FOR SALE: QUARTERS OF young steers. Will kill week of February 25th. Frank Larison, farm near Mt. Vernon school.

## FARMS FOR SALE

FARM AND BUSINESS, 10 ACRES, Adams County State highway location. 2 1/2 miles city, handy stream; eight room home with bath, electric, gas, phone; beautiful mountain view; also storehouse, gas pumps; includes some equipment and stock; at rare buy at \$8,000. Write about C-2752, T.C. West's Farm Agency, J. C. Bream, Rep., Fairfield road, Gettysburg, Pa. Ask for West's free 1946 catalogue farms and businesses, Pa., other states.

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LARGE FARM FOR RENT ON shares. Close to Gettysburg. Write Box 182, Times Office.

FOR SALE: STONE HOUSE IN country, some repairs needed. Price \$2,500.00. Call Biglerville 19 evenings. Gettysburg 436 day time.

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FOR SALE: 1935 CHEVROLET 1 1/2 ton stake body truck, looks and runs good, excellent tires. Priced for quick sale. Rothaupt and Zentz, 241 South Washington street.

## MALE HELP WANTED

WANTED: YOUNG MAN WITH selling experience on approved GI Trainee program. Write Box "185," Gettysburg Times, giving all your qualifications in first letter. All interviews given in strict confidence.

WANTED: MARRIED MAN, handy, steady work. House to live. Post Office Box 144.

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## FEMALE HELP WANTED

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WANTED: WAITRESS AND kitchen help. Apply Sweetland.

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WANTED: CHERRY SIX LEG drop leaf table. Address letter "186," care Times Office.

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## WANTED TO RENT

WANTED: TO RENT HOUSE OR apartment by local family of three by May 1st. Good references. Write Box "183," Times Office.

## MISCELLANEOUS

GET YOUR ORDERS IN NOW for black raspberry runners, Cumberland and Plum Farmer; Thornless Boysenberry runners; Dewberry runners and plants; Strawberry runners; Premier Early, Township large, late sweet berry, Ivan Straley, Gettysburg Route 2, two miles from Gettysburg on Emmitsburg highway. Phone evenings 972-R-15.

FOR REMODELING OR BUILDING or estimates, call William Putt, general contractor, Biglerville 149-R-11. Materials available.

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ANY PERSON IN TOWN OR country having anything to sell, bring or send it to the Court House and we will sell it for you for 10 per cent on March 30th. J. B. Zimmerman, 7 Hanover street, Phone 378-X.

## Washington

(Continued from Page 1)  
Clean, then editor of the Compiler wrote "Saturday October 25 George Washington started on a tour which took him for a second time through the heart of Adams county. The route, according to the best authorities was over the mountains through Hilltown, Munnasburg, and on through Hunterstown, New Oxford and Abbottstown. . . . Several traditions of this journey survived in this county.

"Can You Keep a Secret?"  
"One is that told by Thomas Craig, a colored man who lived above Cashtown and who at the time of his death had reached the great age of 104 years. During his life he told Henry J. Stahlie (then editor of the Compiler) that he saw Washington pass his old master's place along what was known as the old Philadelphia road, that Washington rode in a great carriage guarded by light horse.

"Then it was handed down that he took a meal at the old stone house at the junction of the Arden road with the Shippensburg road for many years owned by John Carey, but in Washington's time it was owned by Russell.

"As the story goes after Washington had eaten Landlord Russell could not contain himself and asked him where he was going. The big, polite, patient first gentleman of the land is said to have smiled and to have gone quite close to Landlord Russell and in a whisper replied, 'Can you keep a secret?'

"Then he turned away, took up his journey and Landlord Russell was no wiser of the secret to be kept. There was another stop at New Oxford. . . . Considerate of Child

The first President is also said to have stopped in Hunterstown while on the trip.

In another article in the Compiler in 1904 George R. Prowell, the historian, directly proved the fact that Washington slept at Russell's tavern. Prowell also relates the story of Harriet Hamilton Bayly who was at Russell's tavern when Washington slept there. She stated that there was a sick child at the tavern on the night of October 25, 1794, and that Washington had tiptoed with a candle to his room to avoid disturbing it.

Washington had previously crossed the southeast corner of the county on a trip in 1791 when he stayed overnight at Taneytown.

Times, Lincoln Logs Win Bowling Matches  
The Times and Lincoln Logs bowling teams were victors in the Thursday Night Bowling league tilts defeating Fairfield and the Bowling Center, respectively.

Rosters are open for more bowlers.

The scores:

	Times (2)		
Moyer	163	158	138-459
Menchey	90	115	139-344
Smith	116	133	112-361
Ferrar	168	165	140-473
Totals	537	571	529-1637

Fairfield (1)

Shad	170	133	112-415
Heflin	148	136	138-422
Clair	155	142	136-433
Sanders	116	137	140-393
Totals	569	548	526-1663

Bowling Center (0)

Stahley	192	144	147-483
Levis	120	102	108-330
McClain	147	184	150-481
D. Cole	187	155	137-479
Totals	646	585	542-1773

Lincoln Logs (3)

Clapper	171	168	201-540
Carter	136	172	164-472
Kint	177	183	168-528
Redding	171	145	143-461
Totals	655	668	678-2001

Public Sale  
FRIDAY, MARCH 1, 1946  
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The undersigned will offer at public sale six miles west of Gettysburg, two miles east of Fairfield on Route 16 in Highland township, known as the Harry W. Cluck Farm.

22 acre farm, seven-room stone house with kitchen and wash-house; 30 x 45 barn; two-car garage; large blacksmith shop; 14 x 20 chicken house; 12 x 12 brooder house and all necessary out buildings; electric lights in all buildings; never failing water; electric pump; large cistern; many varieties of fruit trees. Building in good condition. Very good location. Terms and conditions will be made known day of sale. Anyone wishing to see the owner call at 39 South street, Gettysburg.

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The Fall Guy  
BY JOE BARRY

## Chapter 27

"Okay, Jago," he said between his teeth. "Drop the cigar and turn around." A henchman raised his gun and Rush shot him through the wrist. "Up with them," Rush commanded. Slowly, hands reached ceilingward.

"You, Wilmer," he said "untie her." His gun pointed at Leslie. Wilmer gritted his teeth and said an unmentionable word between them. Rush shot him in the arm. "Jump," he said.

With his good arm Wilmer reached down and pulled the cords that bound Leslie. They fell loose and she stood up, weaving on trembling legs.

"Now throw all your rods in the center of the floor." Five guns dropped to the floor in front of him. "Pick them up, Leslie." She gathered them together and held them beside him. He gestured toward the window and she threw the guns out on the roof.

"Now you, Mick. Come over here beside me." The Big One seemed to debate his chances then slowly walked over to Rush. "You are going to escort us out of this drive and to my car. My gun will be in your side all the way. If anybody tries to stop us, it's all over for you. Now, march."

They might have been three close friends as they walked arm to arm through the now crowded bar downstairs. Big Mick stayed with them till they reached Rush's car then Rush turned to him.

"Let this be a lesson to you, Mick," he said and stepped close to the Big One. "This time you get off. You're the first guy who ever sneaked a pot shot at Rush Henry and got away with it. This time there's too much else to worry about. But before you send a hood after me in an automobile again, think twice. This is 1945, not 1929. You can't gun a man down in broad daylight any more and get away with it. Try it. I'll get you if it's the last thing I do. Now, blow."

"What would you have done if I hadn't turned up?" he asked, as they sped away.

"Told them where I had hidden the emeralds. I don't need the damn things. I've got money. I just wanted to see how far they'd go."

He headed the car toward the North Side and thirty minutes later deposited Leslie on her own doorstep. He snapped an abrupt goodbye at her and put the car in gear. Quite suddenly the thought was overpowering. He stepped on the gas. Then he remembered that his bedroom was overpopulated. He slacked off the accelerator.

"Damn," he said. "Damn women to hell."

Rush opened the door of his apartment and stepped apprehensively inside. With caution he proceeded to the bedroom. The caution was wasted. A panel of the closet door had been battered through and the door was open. On the floor he found the weapon Hope had used to effect her exit. It was the thick wooden shelf which had lain across the two closets inside the closet. With it she had crashed through the thin panelling and unlocked the door from the outside. Rush stepped inside the closet and examined it more closely. Then he whistled low in surprise. There were tears and slashes in all of the clothes he could see. Hope had vented her spleen on his wardrobe. He sat on the edge of the bed and wondered if Germaine would stand for a new one on the expense account. He wondered where Hope had gone. He wished he knew, she was a key and he wanted to keep her around.

Sleep dragged at his eyes but he forced himself to undress and wash his cut wrists, dousing them with disinfectant and bandaging them neatly. Then he surrendered to the luxury of bed, his first sleep in bed for three nights. Rush was still asleep the next morning when the telephone shrilled in the living room. Sleepily he shook his head and dropped his feet over the edge of the bed, wriggling them into slippers. He scratched his head and mopped his face with his hands. The clock on his bedside said ten o'clock. This would be Gertrude, he imagined, wondering if he were alive. He slipped into the living room and picked up the phone caller. It was Gertrude. Paul Germaine. Sr.'s voice sounded, very taut and strained, in his ear.

"Henry?"

"Yes," said Rush.

"Can you come over right away?" Rush yawned. "Why, yes, I guess so. What's up?"

"Something has come up which I must discuss with you in private."

"Yes?" said Rush.

"I'd rather not explain over the phone. When may I expect you?"

"Give me a half hour," said Rush.

"I have to dress."

"Half an hour then," said Germaine and the phone clicked in Rush's ear. He looked for a moment at the instrument in his hand and then lowered it slowly to the cradle. There had been something a shade wrong with the timing of Germaine's hang-up. It had come a fraction of a second soon, almost as if it would cut off his last word. Rush scratched his head again and dialed his office. He got Gertrude.

"Look, my lovely," he said. "Find Merwin. Tell him I'm on my way to Germaine's. If I don't check in before late this afternoon, have him get my car and come pick me up about five."

"Will do, boss," said Gertrude.

Rush hung up then and shaved and dressed. Fifteen minutes later, minus breakfast, he was in a cab on his way to the Germaine home. His cab rolled up the driveway less than a minute over his promised half hour. He dismissed the cab and strode up to the door. His knock was answered immediately. He stepped into the hall-way and stepped into the point of a gun held at his stomach.

(To be continued)

## Basket Ball Scores

(By The Associated Press)  
SCHOOLASTIC  
Erie Academy, 27; Erie Tech, 24.  
Allentown, 38; Reading, 30.  
Erie Strong Vincent, 43; Cathedral Prep, 39.  
Sharon, 40; New Castle, 31.

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**FRIDAY**  
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4:10-Stella Dallas  
4:30-Lorenzo Jones  
4:45-Widder Brown  
5:00-Girl Marries  
5:15-Portia  
5:30-Plain Bill  
5:45-Front Page  
6:00-News  
6:15-Serenade  
6:40-News  
7:00-Supper Club  
7:15-News  
7:30-Barber Revue  
7:45-News  
8:00-Polony  
8:15-Duffy's  
9:00-Punny People  
9:30-Waits Time  
9:40-Theater  
10:00-News  
10:30-Sports  
10:45-Gen. Bradley  
11:00-News  
11:15-News  
11:30-Great Novels

770k-WJZ-422M  
4:00-Matinee  
4:30-Dr. Eddy  
5:00-Uncle Don  
5:15-Superman  
5:30-Sketch  
5:45-Tom Mix  
6:00-P. Schubert  
6:15-Street Man  
6:30-News  
6:45-Sports  
7:00-News  
7:15-Answer Man  
7:30-News  
7:45-Sports  
8:00-Variety  
8:30-Quiz  
9:00-News  
9:15-Book Life  
9:30-Spot Band  
10:00-H. Taylor  
10:15-Cart Trio  
10:30-Symphonette  
11:00-News  
11:30-Dance Or.

880k-WABC-675M  
4:00-Berch Show  
4:15-Fitzgeralds  
4:30-Worm's News  
4:45-Top Harrigan  
5:00-Terry  
5:15-Dick Tracy  
5:30-A. Armstrong  
5:45-Jed  
6:00-News  
6:15-Morgan  
6:30-Col. Tinney  
7:00-Headlines  
7:15-News  
7:30-Lone Ranger  
8:00-Herman Show  
8:30-FBI  
9:00-Young Show  
9:30-The Sheriff  
10:00-Roving  
10:30-Sports  
11:00-News  
11:15-Sports  
11:30-Dance Music

660k-WABC-675M  
4:00-House Party  
4:30-M. Young  
4:45-Story  
5:00-Tales  
5:30-Tavern  
5:45-Sparrow  
6:00-News  
6:15-Vocalist  
6:30-E. Farrell  
6:45-World Today  
7:00-J. Kirkwood  
7:15-Smith Show  
7:30-Glenn E. Sims  
8:00-Aldrich  
8:30-Kate Smith  
9:00-Comedy  
9:30-Webster  
10:00-J. Durante  
10:30-Kaye Show  
11:00-News  
11:15-Vocalist  
11:30-Viva America

**SATURDAY**  
660k-WEAF-454M  
8:00 a.m.-News  
8:15-C. McCarthy  
8:30-News  
8:45-R. He'drie'son  
9:00-Home  
9:30-A. Hawley  
9:30-Duo  
10:00-Barton Show  
10:30-Drama  
11:00-Ten-Timers  
11:30-E. McConnell  
12:00-News  
12:15-Consumer  
1:00-Music  
1:30-Farm, Home  
1:45-E. Tomlinson  
2:00-News  
2:15-Reporter  
2:30-Baxters  
2:45-Choir  
3:00-Orchestra  
4:00-Dancers

770k-WJZ-422M  
8:00 a.m.-News  
8:15-Breakfast  
8:30-News  
8:45-News  
9:00-Rhythm  
9:30-Vera Holley  
10:00-News  
10:15-Sketch  
10:30-Rainbow H.  
11:00-News  
11:15-Vocalist  
11:30-Loat Land  
12:00-Mystery  
12:30-News  
12:45-Answer Man  
1:00-Farm Man  
1:30-Oppy House  
2:00-L. Kaufman  
2:15-Sketch  
2:30-Records  
3:30-Up to Youth  
4:00-Matinee  
4:30-Fletcher orch.  
4:45-Race  
5:00-Grab Bag  
5:30-Gordon orch.  
5:45-Duo  
6:00-P. Schubert  
6:30-News  
6:45-Sports  
7:00-Guests Who?  
7:30-A. Hale  
7:45-Answer Man  
8:00-Quiz  
8:30-Savoy Show  
9:00-Leave It  
9:30-Quiz  
10:00-Theater  
11:00-News  
11:30-Dance Orch

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**Littlestown B. S. COMMITTEE**  
(Continued from Page 1)  
Lions club to hold a joint meeting in Westminster on Thursday, March 7th. The speaker of the evening was the Rev. C. B. Rebert, who gave an interesting talk on the history of Lionism.

Leonard Kerchner was presented with chevrons in recognition of his service in World War II. Other members thus honored at the last meeting were John Bloom, Chester Byers, and John Sell. The meeting was in charge of the Publicity Committee, composed of Mark H. Trostle and the Rev. Kenneth D. James.

**FAREWELL PARTY HELD**  
The office girls of the Windsor Shoe company held a farewell party at Schotties hotel Thursday night in honor of Miss Elizabeth Mehrling, who has accepted a position on the office staff of the Evangeline Shoe company, Manchester, N. H. She will work under Harold R. Goldberg, formerly general manager of the Windsor Shoe company here, but who is now in the shoe business with his brother. A cake bearing the legend "Good Luck, Lib" was presented to Miss Mehrling, and refreshments were served. She also received several going-away gifts. The office girls and guests in attendance were: Elizabeth Mehrling, Ruth Rebert, Mildred Appler, Mrs. John Bloom, Kathleen Mehrling, Mrs. Seawart Long, Helen Wisotzky, Mary Ellen Bloom, Louella Harner, Dorothy Appler, Alma Morehead, Gladys Dutterer, and Mrs. Paul E. Altoff.

**OBSERVING HOLIDAY**  
The Littlestown National bank, the Littlestown State bank and the State Liquor store were closed today in observance of Washington's Birthday. They will be open for business Saturday, as usual.

**RESTAURANTS SOLD**  
The restaurants of Littlestown have undergone several changes of management in recent months. Schottie's hotel is now owned by Bernard F. Schott, son of A. W. Schott, former proprietor. Central Tavern has been taken over by Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Collins following a long proprietorship by C. A. Long, who had previously bought out P. D. Sheely. George A. Kress bought the former Harner's restaurant after J. Richard Harner, proprietor, went into the service. Upon his return from service, Mr. Harner bought out Theron Bashore, who had taken over and remodeled the former Miller's restaurant. To help complete the job of feeding the many hungry mouths from the numerous local industries each noon, there is Bankert's restaurant and the Texas Hot Weiner. The latter is now closed for remodeling.

**CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENT**  
**Christ Reformed**  
The Rev. John C. Brumbach, pastor: Sunday school, 9:15 a. m.; church service, 10:30 a. m. The annual exchange of pulpits among the ministers of Littlestown will be held Sunday, so a guest preacher will occupy the pulpit. On Saturday evening at 4 p. m. a roast beef supper will be served in the Pennville fire house by the King's Daughters' Sunday school class and by the Young Adults Bible class taught by Harvey W. Schwartz. Sandwiches, ice cream, and soft drinks will also be on sale. There will be no services in St. Luke's Reformed church this Sunday. The Rev. Brumbach also serves this charge.

**St. Aloysius Catholic**  
The Rev. John H. Weber, pastor: Confessions, Saturday from 4 to 5:30, and from 7 to 8 p. m.; Sunday masses, 7:30 and 10 a. m.; meeting of the Women's Sodality, 6:45 p. m.; Sunday evening devotions, 7 p. m.

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On Sunday at 3 p. m. the Cope-wago Deane of the National Council of Catholic Women will hold an open meeting for the women of the district in St. Aloysius hall.

**St. John's Lutheran**  
The Rev. Kenneth D. James, pastor: Sunday school, 9 a. m.; church service, 10:15 a. m. Union service, sponsored by the Littlestown ministerium, will be held in St. John's at 7:30 p. m.

**Centenary Methodist**  
The Rev. Robert H. Sheehan, pastor: Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning service, 10:30 a. m.; MYF, 6:45 p. m.

**Redeemer's Reformed**  
The Rev. Theodore W. Holtz, pastor: Church school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; sermon topic "Good Housekeeping"; Community Vesper service at 7:30 p. m.; Youth Fellowship, 8:30 p. m.

**St. Paul's Lutheran**  
The Rev. David S. Kammerer, pastor: Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; sermon theme "Love and Obedience." St. Luke's Lutheran, White Hall  
The Rev. Dr. J. M. Myers, pastor: Sunday school, 9:00 a. m.; church service, 10:15 a. m.

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Read by Nearly Everybody in Adams County

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## County Blanketed By Heaviest Fall Of Snow This Year

Adams co. Wednesday dug itself out of the heaviest snowfall of the winter with J. William Kendlehart, Jr., state highway superintendent, stating that reports from highway workers show from 10 to 13 inches of snow throughout the county.

Heaviest fall is in the upper section of the county and in the mountains with the smallest amount of snow covering the Hanover-Littlestown section, the state highway superintendent reported today.

The last large snowfall in the county took place December 18-19 when an eight-inch blanket covered the entire county.

### Heaviest Snow In Years

The 60 state highway employees who have been laboring since 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon to keep open the main highways said that the snow was the heaviest, and most difficult to remove from the roads, in several years.

Sixteen snowplows, on 12 trucks and four graders, were being used Wednesday in widening the cleared strip on all main highways. The 16 highway caretakers throughout the county were out with pickup trucks and cinders to clean off bridges, cinder road intersections and generally meet the difficulties brought about by the storm. Gettysburg's borough workers were busy keeping town streets open.

Mr. Kendlehart said that the crews expected to complete work Wednesday on the main highways and began Thursday the work of cleaning off the secondary road system of the county.

Starting at 2 o'clock Tuesday, the crews were able to keep all main highways open throughout the night. The only traffic block reported was on West Middle street where a tree fell in the second block, cutting off traffic on that street.

### Wires Block Traffic

At the intersection of Water and South Stratton streets traffic was stopped for a time by wires which fell across the Water street part of the intersection.

Trees weighed down by the snow halted traffic in a number of alleys in Gettysburg with cars unable to get past the low hanging branches.

Both the United Telephone and Metropolitan Edison companies reported "less damage than we had expected" from the storm, although the test board at the telephone company reported a number of homes without service because wires leading to the houses tore out or broke under the weight of the snow.

Paul A. Kinsey, manager of the electric company, said that service had been cut off in spots along the Emmitsburg road.

State police found little traffic on the highways of the county but Gettysburg, Tuesday night, had the largest collection of trucks and cars seen in many years. Drivers headed west and north stopped their trucks in Gettysburg and either waited until Wednesday morning before continuing their journeys or turn back.

Greyhound buses were delayed from 45 minutes to an hour from midnight until 5 o'clock Wednesday morning, the local terminal dispatcher reported but Wednesday morning the buses were moving close to schedule.

By Wednesday morning two-lane traffic had been restored on all main highways and highway workers expect to have the snow cleared back to two feet from the edge of the roads on each side before nightfall, Superintendent Kendlehart stated.

Basketball games and meetings were postponed to a great extent because of the snowfall and most residents of the town spent the evening and part of the night shoveling sidewalks in an attempt to keep up with the rapidly falling snow.

Hotels and many lodging houses were filled to capacity early in the evening as motorists, stumped by the storm, sought overnight refuge.

Garages were also filled to capacity early in the evening and many motorists had to park their machines at various places throughout the town.

A sailor, who acted as a good Samaritan, was reported wandering around town looking for a carload of fun-seekers who left him stranded on the highway, two miles from town, after he had helped to push their machine out of a snowdrift. The irony of it was that the sailor, who was jacketless and wore a grey slouch hat with his blue uniform, said that the fun-seekers had driven away with his jacket and wallet and \$90 in cash.

A light fall of snow started about 9 o'clock Wednesday morning but by noon the sun was rapidly melting snowbanks and rivulets of water were gushing along the curbs.

(By The Associated Press)  
18 Inches In State

An all-night snow storm left a blanket of snow ranging from a few

inches to 18 inches in depth in most sections of Pennsylvania Wednesday creating hazardous traffic conditions.

At least one death was attributed to the storm. Near Media, Philip MacReady, 60, died of a heart attack when his automobile skidded out of control on the slippery highway.

The storm, which began in the early afternoon, continued throughout the night in most sections, especially the central and eastern districts, ending during the early morning hours.

The forecast for Wednesday was partly cloudy with snow flurries in the mountains.

Numerous accidents were reported as the snow storm delayed public and private transportation.

The heaviest fall of 18 inches was reported at Carbondale, with 16 inches at Mount Pocono and depths ranging from 14 to 15 inches in parts of Wayne and Susquehanna counties.

The weather bureau reported that only the Erie district escaped the snow fall.

## LOCAL GIRL IN "WHO'S WHO"

Miss Doris C. Glenn, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John G. Glenn, 27 East Lincoln avenue, has been selected as one of ten outstanding seniors who will represent Gettysburg college in this year's edition of Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities.

Each year leading members of the senior class are chosen for the honor of representing the college in this volume, which contains similar lists of student leaders from colleges all over the United States. Selections are made on the basis of character, leadership, extra-curricular activities, and potentialities for success after graduation.

Miss Glenn has been active in the fields of science and journalism. She has served as assistant news editor and associate editor of the "Gettysburgian," president of Beta Beta Beta, national honorary biology fraternity, and is a member of the Skeptical Chymists, local chemistry society. At present she is president of Phi Mu, national sorority.

## Head of Appeal Board Is Honored

Dr. Henry W. A. Hanson, president of Gettysburg college, was among the 10 countians who received medals from Pennsylvania Monday evening, at Harrisburg, for five years service with the Selective Service system.

Doctor Hanson served as chairman of the Pennsylvania Board of Appeal for Selective Service.

### HOME ON LEAVE

First Lt. Donald W. Rohrbaugh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul M. Rohrbaugh, Steinwehr avenue, is home on terminal leave after three years of service with the U. S. Air Force. Lieutenant Rohrbaugh, whose leave ends April 5, was a supply officer at an army air field in Los Angeles. He received his commission after completing officer candidate training in Florida, Texas and Georgia.

## 2 INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT NEAR HAMPTON

William M. Lemmon, Littlestown, suffered a possible fracture of the neck and a fracture of a vertebra Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock when his car skidded into an auto driven by John L. Moore, Jr., Littlestown, two miles south of Hampton on the Hanover road.

Leo W. Hockensmith, Abbottstown, an occupant of the Moore car suffered serious cuts of the face and left ear and may lose the ear as a result of the collision.

According to local state police, who investigated the accident, three cars were driving north on the Hampton-Hanover road near the intersection leading back to Dick's Dam. Lemmon was driving the third car in line. The first car planned to turn to the left into the intersection and stopped to allow Moore, who was driving south, to pass. The car behind him also stopped and Lemmon, attempting to stop, skidded sideways across the highway and into the Moore vehicle.

John Myers, New Oxford R. 1, road caretaker for the section, took the two men to the Hanover General hospital where they were admitted as patients. Moore, who suffered cuts and bruises about the head, was treated at the hospital.

Lemmon will be charged with reckless driving by the state police before Justice of the Peace Gerald Orndorff, Oxford township.

### Other Actions

Suspensions, revocations and restorations of drivers' licenses of a number of countians were also announced by the state police. Drivers' licenses have been restored by the state to Raymond Stotler, Gettysburg, and Alton Reedy, Gettysburg R. 4. The license of James W. Miller, Gardners R. 1, and Calvin C. Maitland, Littlestown, have been revoked for one year, in both instances for failure to stop at the scene of an accident. I. H. Grogg, Gettysburg R. 4, and Bruce M. Funt, York Springs R. 2, have both had their licenses suspended for failure to maintain proof of financial responsibility.

Fred William Sowers, Gardners R. 2, has had his license suspended for parking on a highway. The license of J. F. Spalding, Gettysburg R. 1, was suspended for speeding. Revocation of the license of Eugene Shaffer, New Oxford, for intoxication and suspension of the license of Charles W. Irvin, Orrtanna R. 2, for reckless driving were also announced by the local state police.

## OUSTED VETS' CABBIES HERE

The storm Tuesday night and Wednesday scattered the army of some 300 Chicago veteran taxi cab drivers all over south central Pennsylvania with some of the cabs showing up in Gettysburg enroute to Hagerstown where the group arranged to meet Wednesday to start a united trip to Washington, D. C.

Robert Risner, his wife and two children were occupants of one of the several cabs which came through Gettysburg shortly before noon today. Four other drivers came through town at various times this morning. All were driving black and cream painted taxis which carried a "ruptured duck" (discharge) emblem and the words "Chicago Veterans Cab."

The group set up a taxi service in Chicago, Risner said, for returned veterans who wanted to earn their living by operating taxis. However, the city refused to license the cabs and police began arresting the veterans as they made their trips. Risner continued. As a result the veterans are headed for Washington to ask national assistance in breaking what they term a "monopoly" by existing Chicago taxi companies.

The veterans expected to be met at Washington by veterans from Philadelphia and other sections who have been refused the right to drive taxis because their vehicles are not part of the previously licensed taxi operating organizations.

Risner, a member of the committee to raise funds selected by the veterans, served a year in the U. S. army.

### FILE DISCHARGES

The following former servicemen have filed their discharges at the court house for recording: Pfc. Robert C. Hoover, Guernsey, Pa.; Yeoman 2/c Coll Edward Eisenhart, navy; S 1/c Matthew Hildebrand Loop, navy; Pfc. Edgar Elwood Felix, marines; Chief Radaman Allen Edward Weikert, navy; Cook 3/c Charles Thomas Myers, navy, and T/5 Paul B. Lawrence, Hanover R. 1.

## Spouse Relents After Husband Is Jailed

After Merle E. Hyssong, 40, of Wilmington, Del., had spent several hours Monday night in the Adams county jail on a surety of the peace charge, his wife, Mrs. Vivian Hyssong, the complainant, withdrew the charge and her husband was released.

Hyssong was arrested at Hotel Gettysburg, where he and his wife had registered, at 5:30 Monday afternoon. He was alleged to have inflicted a cut over one of her eyes and other injuries during an argument in their hotel room. Borough police made the arrest.

Police said Mr. Hyssong was a former Chambersburg resident, and his wife formerly resided in Harrisburg. Until a few months ago they had operated an eating place in Wilmington.

## NURSES' AIDES ARE AWARDED SERVICE PINS

American Red Cross certificates and special pins recognizing many hours of volunteer service during World War II were presented to 10 Gettysburg Nurses' Aides at their February meeting last Thursday at the home of Miss Ruth A. McIlhenny, 129 West Lincoln avenue. The presentations were made by Mrs. Henry M. Scharf, Nurses' Aide chairman for the county Red Cross chapter.

The certificates and pins were awarded to the following aides in attendance at the meeting: Mrs. H. M. Krick and Miss Dorothy Poth, who received pins bearing two bars indicating 1,000 or more hours of service; Mrs. Francis C. Mason, Mrs. Ira Henderson and Mrs. S. J. Poppay, whose pins bore one bar indicating 500 or more hours of service; and Miss McIlhenny, Miss Mary Catherine Moticka, Mrs. Madolyn Killalea and Miss Lucille Reaver. The pins given the last group indicated 200 or more hours of service.

The aides then presented Mrs. Scharf with a valentine box of candy in appreciation of her services to the corps.

Mrs. Killalea, the corps captain, presided at the brief business meeting which preceded the social hour.

Guest speaker for the meeting was Miss Clara Preston, general field representative for the Red Cross, who urged upon the group the current necessity for continuing nurses' aide services and described the role of the aides in the disaster relief program of the national Red Cross.

Eighteen persons attended the meeting. Refreshments were served by this committee: Miss Reaver, Miss Marie Kump, Mrs. Romyne Oyler and Mrs. Krick.

## Eleven Discharged By Armed Forces

Included among those discharged from the army at Indiantown Gap on Monday were Sgt. John R. Leer, York Springs R. 1; Cpl. Herbert B. Groft, 13 Main street, McSherrystown; S/Sgt. Warren H. Wisotzky, 36 West King street, Littlestown; Cpl. Glenn A. Heller, Idaville; Pvt. Charles W. Slusser, Littlestown R. 2; Pfc. Samuel D. Bittle, Littlestown R. 1, and Cpl. Richard H. Finkboner, Gettysburg.

Those recently discharged from the navy at Bainbridge, Md., included Richard Charles Hinkle, MOMM 3/c, York Springs; John Adams Cline, S 1/c, Gardners; Charles R. Bollinger, AOM 3/c, of Gettysburg, and Floyd John Morrow, S 1/c, Biglerville.

## MEDALS GIVEN NINE MEN FOR DRAFT SERVICE

Nine Adams countians Monday night were awarded medals at Harrisburg for their work during the past five years as part of the state's Selective Service system.

The draft board members and government appeal agents of the New Oxford board were among 1923 local draft and appeal board members and government appeal agents from throughout the state who, together with Governor Martin, received the medals for "faithful and



W. J. YINGLING

loyal service" Monday at five meetings throughout the state. The county men were presented their medals by Governor Martin at the Harrisburg meeting. The other meetings were held in Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Erie and Scranton.

Countians receiving the award were M. E. Knouse, Arendtsville, chairman of the Gettysburg selective service board; John C. Bream, and Dr. R. D. Wickerham, members of the Gettysburg board; Attorney Eugene V. Bullett, government appeal agent of the Gettysburg board; William J. Yingling, Lawrence P. Hoover and Albert Weaver, members of the New Oxford board and Attorneys Richard A. Brown and J. Francis Yake, Jr., who have served as appeal agents for the New Oxford board. Mr. Bullett was not present to receive his medal.

Mr. Yingling's Record  
Mr. Yingling, chairman of the New Oxford board, has the unusual record of never having missed a meeting of his board since its organization. That record is unequalled by other draft board members in this (Please turn to Page 2)

## Borough Police Nab Motorists Sunday

A ten-day notice was mailed today by Justice of the Peace John H. Basehore to Ralph C. Bream, New Oxford R. 1, charging him with driving too fast for road conditions in Center Square Sunday night. The information was filed by Borough Police Officer Albert Wolford.

Officer Wolford also charged David Plank, Jr., York and Liberty streets, with driving too fast for road conditions on Baltimore street Sunday night, and a notice was mailed by Squire Basehore.

### IN COLLEGE PLAY

Robert M. Reindollar, son of Mrs. Robert S. Reindollar, Fairfield, will be a member of the cast of "Spreading the News," to be presented by students of Shippensburg State Teachers' college, Wednesday, February 27.

## Mission Completed

The Gettysburg Times Service Edition, oldest of its kind of known record in the country, will mark "Mission Completed" with its February 22nd edition. It will cease publication as of that date, having fulfilled its mission to the men and women in service from Adams county.

The subscription list of the Service Edition has dwindled to less than 100 from a peak total of more than 4,000 during the war years.

Now, with the cessation of hostilities more than six months old, and the persistent acute shortage of newspaper, the depleted press-run makes it economically unsound to continue publication. Present subscribers are invited to consider subscribing to the daily Gettysburg Times at the prevailing rate of fifty cents per month.

The Gettysburg Times inaugurated the Service Edition to service men and women early in 1940 when the daily newspaper was sent to all those countians in service, with the compliments of the publishers. Later the War department and the Post Office department restricted the paper to camps and bases within the United States, unless subscribed to and paid for by the recipient or his or her family. The Navy department later followed suit. However, The Times continued to go forward to men and women all over the world, so great was the demand for the "home town paper."

Since the collapse of Germany and Japan and the discharge of hundreds of countians the Service Edition has gradually dwindled to less than 100.

Should you be interested in your home town news may we suggest that you consider the daily edition of The Gettysburg Times.

## Brave Storm To See Show

The storm and hazardous driving did not daunt a carload of Gettysburg women who drove to Hershey to see the Ice-Capades. However, they paid for their "bravery" with two flat tires and delayed return home.

One of those "marooned" in Gettysburg by the storm is Lt. Col. T. B. "Bev" Harper enroute to Kentucky after recently returning from more than two years' service in Burma. Colonel Harper served with the army unit here during the 75th anniversary of the Battle of Gettysburg observance.

One Army officer left Indiantown Gap at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon and did not arrive in Gettysburg until 7 p. m.

## 143 RECEIVED ROAD SERVICE FROM AAA CLUB

A total of 87,250 members of AAA automobile clubs in Pennsylvania received emergency road service during 1945, it was announced Wednesday by former Sen. Andrew Sordani, president of the Pennsylvania Motor Federation.

Of that number, 143 were members of the Gettysburg Motor Club who benefited from this AAA service. Nearly 16,000 motorists were required to take advantage of the free towing service offered by the PMF-AAA, among which were 35 members of the local club.

State-wide service during the year showed that there were 22,950 emergency road service calls made for tire trouble; 16,590 for battery trouble; 9,330 for ignition trouble, and 21,930 calls were made for miscellaneous road troubles, including wrecks, motorists out of gas, motorists stuck in the mud or snow, lock and key troubles, etc.

Figures of the Gettysburg Motor Club, disclose that there were 19 emergency road calls for tire trouble; 4 for battery trouble; 5 for ignition trouble, and 80 for miscellaneous road troubles.

"The service offered by the Pennsylvania Motor Federation and its affiliated clubs will be increased during 1946 along with increased travel trends," President Sordani stated. "All AAA organizations welcome the opportunity to serve its members in any way possible."

## THEFT REPORT BRINGS CHARGE

An investigation into an alleged car theft led to information being placed before Justice of the Peace Howard Blocher, Littlestown, against Fred Shull, Littlestown auto dealer, state police reported Friday.

Shull is charged with a misstatement of facts to the Bureau of Motor Vehicles in applying for an owner's certificate for an automobile. The charge was placed by State Trooper Robert Deltrich of the local sub-station of the state police.

The officer said that Shull on February 5 had reported the theft of a car from his parking lot. Investigation disclosed that the car was in the hands of a Raleigh, N. C., motorist who, police believe, purchased the car from Shull, according to Sgt. W. Kurt Durkoff, of the local sub-station.

Meantime Shull was said by police to have applied for a new certificate as owner of the car and as a result the charge was brought before Justice Blocher. A hearing will be held at a later date.

State police also reported the arrest of Emmanuel Buch, Harrisburg, for speeding at 65 miles an hour. Charged before Justice of the Peace W. D. Brown, Hunterstown, Buch paid a fine and costs for the motor code infraction.

## Commissioned In Maritime Service

Ensign Ronald H. Enoch, USMS, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Roy Enoch, of Gettysburg, recently graduated from the U. S. Maritime Service Officers School, Fort Trumbull, New London, Connecticut. He has been shipping out with the merchant marine for three years, and wears the Atlantic and Mediterranean War Zone bars, also the Combat Bar with star which he received as the result of direct enemy action. He graduated from Gettysburg high school in 1943.

Ensign Enoch received his license as a Third Assistant Engineer in the U. S. Merchant Marine as well as being commissioned an Ensign in the U. S. Maritime Service.

## State Guard Is Inspected Monday

Col. Peter Haller, U. S. Army, inspected the members of the local state guard troop Monday evening at the army. The army officer, conducting inspections of state guard units in the area, praised the 68 men and three officers present for their appearance and made a number of suggestions for improvement of the troop.

Captain C. Arthur Brame headed the unit for the inspection with only two members of the guard absent, both on account of illness. The next meeting of the company will be held February 28 when the group will resume its instructions in rifle firing.

## COURT ORDERS STATE TO PAY COSTS IN CASE

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in an opinion handed down Saturday by Judge W. C. Sheely, was directed to pay all costs incurred in an action between Hobson D. and Pauline E. Crouse, Baltimore road, and the state, involving the condemnation of land on the Baltimore pike in the relocation of the highway.

The commonwealth through the exercise of its right of eminent domain, condemned certain real estate owned by the Crouses in relocating the highway. The parties were unable to agree upon a settlement of damages and a board of viewers was appointed. The board awarded the claimants \$3,500 and the commonwealth appealed to the court of common pleas.

Prior to trial counsel for both the commonwealth and the plaintiffs agreed to submit to their clients a compromise settlement of \$3,000. This was accepted by the commonwealth but rejected by the claimants. The trial resulted in a verdict for the claimants in the sum of \$3,125, upon which judgment was entered. The claimants then petitioned the court for an order directing the commonwealth to pay the costs and the commonwealth filed an answer denying its liability.

### State Held Responsible

Judge Sheely, in his opinion, cited a court decision which read: "The courts of this commonwealth have adopted the policy that statutes relating to costs are to be liberally interpreted in order to justly compensate parties who have been obliged to incur necessary expenses in prosecuting lawful claims or incurring necessary expenses in prosecuting lawful claims or in defending against unjust or unlawful ones."

In the present case, Judge Sheely ruled that the commonwealth had been the mover throughout, condemning the claimants' real estate and making it necessary for them to take steps to secure just compensation. "The commonwealth was the party not satisfied with the viewers' award, and it again made it necessary for the claimants to establish their damages before a jury," his opinion said. "All the costs were incurred by reason of the proceedings taken by the commonwealth, and should be paid by it."

## LENTZ POST HAS 926 MEMBERS

Forty-three new members were received into the American Legion Monday evening at its regular meeting in the Legion home bringing to 926 the number of members so far.

The Legionnaires donated \$25 to the Blue and Gray Band and \$5 to the YWCA and then voted to authorize the house committee headed by C. Arthur Brame, Sr., to secure a second steward for the establishment. The largely increased membership and the larger number of members using the Legion home were given as reasons for the increase in work which has made the employment of a second steward necessary.

The committee announced that the interest in the annual car program held by the Legion is the greatest in the history of the organization. The date at which the car winner will be announced is scheduled for February 22 at the Hotel Gettysburg.

One hundred members attended the session at which Commander Wilbur A. Geiselman presided.

### SELLS FARM

Francis E. Goulden and Frances E. Goulden, Freedom township, have sold their 142-acre farm in Freedom township, together with stock and equipment, to George F. Great and Maxine P. Great, Washington, D. C. Possession April 1. The sale was made through John C. Bream.

## SEWAGE PLANS DEMANDED OF TWO TOWNS BY STATE BOARD

Gettysburg and New Oxford are among 58 additional municipalities and institutions which Tuesday received orders from the state to prepare plans for sewage treatment works. So far 420 notices have been issued to boroughs and industries by the state Sanitary Water board as part of the Commonwealth's stream clean-up program.

While the Associated Press in a story from Harrisburg Tuesday said that the orders had been sent out, borough officials contracted Tuesday morning said that the official order had not as yet been received in Gettysburg.

However Borough Engineer Leroy H. Winebrenner added that the sewage treatment works plans that will be sent to the state board in response to the order will probably follow to a great extent the previously proposed program of the town for post-war work in the borough sewage disposal system.

### May Cost Over \$50,000

The post-war program, outlined in council about 18 months ago, followed to a large extent the original design of council 22 years ago when the present borough sewage disposal plant was installed. At that time only the primary disposal system was built with the borough unable at that time to raise the \$48,000 additional that would have been needed to put in a secondary sewage purification system.

Because the secondary system was never built the town has had to use chemicals to help purify its wastes. Installation of a secondary system would allow purification by filtration and would do away with much of the need for chemicals thus cleaning up Rock creek which now receives the waste and chemicals following purification action.

While the secondary system would have cost \$48,000 in 1924, the cost now will probably be well over \$50,000, Winebrenner estimated.

The borough is investigating the possibility of securing federal or state funds to help cover the expense involved in the proposed construction.

New Oxford has no borough owned sewage system, but a system is operated by the New Oxford Drainage company, a privately owned concern of which William Snyder, New Oxford, is president. The drainage company, established shortly before the first World War, serves about two-thirds of the community.

A spokesman for the New Oxford council today said that the borough had so far never outlined any plans for taking over the drainage company or of setting up a new sewage system. All letters from the state Board of Health to the council which have been sent the borough have been turned over to the drainage company for action.

## FAMILY BURNED OUT THIRD TIME IN SIX MONTHS

For the third time in less than six months the T. W. Shelton family, of near York Springs, have been victims of fire.

Friday morning at 7 o'clock fire destroyed the portion of the house they occupied with Jim Keeney located between Wierman's Mill and Five Points. The property is owned by Joseph Hahn.

The Sheltons, who are visiting in Detroit at present, lost all of their furniture, the fire completely gutting the one section of the house from the first floor to the attic. The York Springs fire company, which used two hose lines throwing water from a nearby well, saved that part of the house occupied by Mr. Keeney.

Cause of the fire could not be determined and no estimate of the damage was available. The fire was discovered by Mr. Keeney as he was preparing breakfast.

Last August 18 the interior of the Shelton residence was destroyed following an explosion of an oil stove.

On Friday evening, September 14, the large barn on the Shelton property was destroyed by fire. A large quantity of hay and straw, as well as furniture stored in the barn, was lost.

Following the second fire the Sheltons moved into their present abode.

### SUES-FOR DIVORCE

Iris W. Pyles, Littlestown R. 1, has filed a suit for divorce from Bertha M. Pyles, Penn township, York county, in York.



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RED CROSS TO  
HELP VETERANS  
GATHER STAMPS

An appeal for cancelled postage stamps to be sent to veterans at the Coatesville veterans' hospital was directed Tuesday to Adams county school children by Mrs. Joseph E. Codori, county secretary of the Junior Red Cross.

"A great many of the veterans at the Coatesville hospital have become interested in stamp collecting, and will appreciate all contributions of cancelled stamps," Mrs. Codori said. The aid of teachers was also sought. The stamps may be sent to Mrs. Codori for transmission to Coatesville.

Mrs. Codori also called attention of the school teachers of Adams county to the fact that educational boxes for shipment to children of foreign countries have been received here, and are ready to be delivered to those who will notify Mrs. Codori of their desire to fill them. They must be returned by April 1.

"Like Personal Messages"

"Gift boxes which American Junior Red Cross members pack are like personal messages of hope and good will to the children of foreign countries," Mrs. Codori said. "Boys and girls in school here can assist in the educational rehabilitation of children abroad by packing these gift boxes."

Among the items which may be included in the boxes for the educational and health part are three pencils in a flat case; box of crayons, three small pads of paper, eraser, compass, protractor, colored drawing pencils, blotter, toothbrush, toothpaste, washcloth, pocket comb, needles, thread and thimble in small case, matching buttons on small card, handkerchief, and cake of toilet soap.

The following gifts may be included from this list: doll, ball, top, puzzle, paintbox, memo book, hair ornament, game, small bag of marbles, yo yo, toy furniture, color book, necktie, Sox, barrette and beads, snapshots of class and school and addressed envelope or card with name of school for acknowledgment, but not names of individuals. Boxes should be marked whether they are for a boy or girl.

The Junior Red Cross shipped 130 gift boxes to children in foreign countries October 15.

Medals Given

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area. It could not be learned today whether there are others in the state with a perfect attendance record.

Governor Martin, awarded the medal at Harrisburg by Maj. Henry M. Gross, acting director of the Pennsylvania Selective Service, responded with an appeal for public appreciation of the work accomplished by "these volunteers who served without pay." The award came as a surprise to Martin who as governor was responsible for the administration of selective service in the state.

Martin said in a statewide broadcast that the board members "spent long and trying hours in their deliberations, so that this necessary work might be done with justice to the individual and fairness to the government."

A million Pennsylvanians, he declared, entered the armed forces "largely through the work of selective service" in this state, the largest draft unit in the nation.

"Nation Is Grateful"

Maj. Gross presided at the Harrisburg ceremonies, while these four former state directors participated in the other meetings.

Col. Richard K. Mellon at Pittsburgh, Col. George H. Hafer at Philadelphia, Col. John McI. Smith at Erie and Col. Benjamin F. Evans at Scranton.

Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, national director of Selective Service, said in a telegram that "this recognition is richly earned" and added:

"Your country deeply appreciates the loyal service you have given and are now giving. May your good work continue both in supplying the manpower needs of the armed forces and in aiding returned veterans."

BERKHEIMER TO  
HEAD CANTEN;  
NEED SUPPORT

Robert E. Berkheimer, manager of the Gettysburg Throwing Company, was elected chairman of the Youth Center committee to succeed Henry T. Bream who has served in that capacity for two years and who declined re-election.

Mr. Berkheimer was elected chairman by the committee, which was increased from six to nine members, following a community meeting in the Teen Canteen Monday night.

The community meeting was called by Chairman Bream to learn the consensus of town opinion relative to the future of the Canteen. More than fifty representative citizens attended and voiced unanimous support for the continuance of the Youth Center with the expressed hope that it will be made a larger and permanent institution in town, financially supported by the town council or some other agency with a full-time supervising head with sufficient assistants to staff the center throughout the year.

**\$137.50 Balance**  
Mr. Bream outlined the history and operation of the Canteen during the past two years and recommended that the center be made permanent on a sound financial basis.

Paul A. Kinsey presented a financial report showing expenditures of \$226.02 for alterations and additions: \$108.01 for miscellaneous supplies, labor, cleaning, supervision, etc.; and \$811.99 for rent, light, heat, water, etc., totaling \$1146.02. There is a balance of \$137.50.

Mr. Kinsey said that the Canteen will cost approximately the same, if not more, during the next year as it did last year and urged its continuance for the youth of the community. He announced that he could not continue to serve as treasurer but was prevailed upon to continue as a committee member as did Mr. Bream.

Other members of the committee who were re-elected are Dr. Dwight F. Putnam, Mrs. Mary Ramer Eberhart, Mrs. Glenn L. Bream and Mrs. Lester Scott.

Elect New Members

New members elected include: Mrs. Henrietta Blocher, Mr. Berkheimer and Rev. Floyd A. Carroll.

Mrs. Blocher was elected treasurer and Mrs. Scott was named secretary.

Dr. Lloyd C. Keefe, superintendent of schools, said that a half-million tax in Gettysburg would raise \$1,500 which would operate the canteen for a year and that this was equivalent to paying for three youths in a reformatory. "If we can save only three youths we have done a job," he said.

The consensus of opinion at the meeting was that the canteen should be made a community affair and that the expenses should be raised through other means than by popular subscription.

John Warner donated a "juke" box to the canteen.

EARLY "Y" GIFTS  
TOP '45 FIGURES

To Mrs. W. H. Danforth, a former president of the local Y.W.C.A., goes the honor of being the first solicitor to make a report of her collections in the current "Y" financial campaign for \$2,200 being conducted by local women, having reported most of her district of Center Square as contributors on the first day.

Mrs. Abdel Ross Wentz, president of the association, was the first solicitor to complete her district. She collected \$42 from the seminary campus which is higher than last year's amount. Mrs. Lila Craig was the second solicitor to complete her list, reporting \$31 from the second block of Chambersburg street, and Franklin street, also a higher amount than last year.

Miss Sarah Jane Maust has completed Oak Ridge and the Fairfield Road, with \$42, a larger amount than previously secured. Mrs. Marie Zeigler also topped the previous year's records with \$37 from the second block of Baltimore street. Partial reports from Mrs. W. D. Hartshorne and Mrs. M. R. Remmel also indicate a good response from their sections.

Additional solicitors appointed by Mrs. Frank H. Kramer, captain of the workers, are Miss Irene Wolf for East Water street; Miss Ruth Bushman assisting Mrs. Fred Troxell with the third block of Baltimore street and Breckenridge; Mrs. J. Clare Routsong for the north side of Hanover street; Miss Mary Jane Willis for Fairfield; Miss Jean Thomas for Biglerville. The Misses Marion and Jean Biggs have a corps of high school girls working with them on their canvass of Orlanua. Mrs. Florence Grinder, office secretary at the Y., is in the office each afternoon to receive reports and workers are urged to make frequent reports to her.

PROMOTED IN GUAM

Mrs. Virginia Felix, Gettysburg R. 2, received word Monday from her son, Maurice J. Felix, that he has been promoted from corporal to sergeant. Sgt. Felix is stationed in Guam with the 20th Air Force. He was inducted here March 6, 1944, and has been overseas 14 months. A brother, Sgt. John C. Felix, was killed at St. Lo in 1944. He was with the 116th Infantry.

Chaplain Stonesifer  
Has Been Discharged

Capt. Donald Stonesifer, who was recently discharged from the U. S. Army, is spending some time with his wife and two children, Craig Alan and Donald, Jr., at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Stonesifer, Hanover.

He was a chaplain with the 106th Infantry Division and served overseas in England, France and Germany where he was made a prisoner of the Germans at St. Vith in the Battle of the Bulge. After his return to the United States he was a chaplain of the Third Service Command at Edgewood Arsenal and was discharged from Fort George E. Meade, Md.

He is a Gettysburg seminary graduate.

SOROPTIMISTS  
FAVOR PRESENT  
JAIL LOCATION

The Soroptimist Club of Gettysburg went on record Monday night as favoring the retention of the Adams County jail on its present site, and the construction of public comfort stations in town.

The club met at the Hotel Eberhart with Mrs. Guyon E. Buehler presiding as president.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hennig, reporting for the Civic committee, recommended the retention of the present jail site and the erection of public comfort stations and both were adopted by club members.

Since its inception the Club has been interested in the matter of comfort stations for Gettysburg and a number of years ago made a written request to authorities that the matter be studied. They voted Monday night to express again their willingness to cooperate with other groups in doing "something about this community need."

**Soroptimist Dinner**  
Mrs. Frederic E. Griest, chairman of Post-War Activities, reported that overseas bundles of necessities are being sent monthly by individual members to a Soroptimist member in France for distribution where most needed. This work will continue during the winter months.

Mrs. Fred Siegal, chairman of the February dinner committee, reported that a "Soroptimist Dinner" would be held on February 26 at the YWCA at seven o'clock, with members entertaining husbands, men friends and their men business associates. All members are requested to notify Mrs. E. Mae Beales before Saturday of the number of guests they will have.

Miss Kathryn Oller, Mrs. L. Musselman Arnold and Mrs. Elizabeth Grieb were appointed to serve as a Public Affairs Committee to study current legislation.

Mrs. Arnold was appointed as Sister-club representative to keep in correspondence with a club in Ashton-under-Lyne, England.

The club voted to send \$25 to China for the aid of student nurses there and also sent in its allotment for the First Regional Fellowship to be given this year in plastic surgery, the award to be made in the spring.

**Mrs. Bierer Speaks**  
Eight or ten members of the club will go to Valley Forge on Friday for the dedication of 14 sun rooms in the hospital there, one of which the local group helped to furnish.

Members not at the meeting who wish to join the group are asked to communicate with Mrs. Buehler.

Mrs. Irving Bierer gave a talk on her classification as a retailer of shoes. She stated that she has been in business at her present site since 1932 and the greatest problem to contend with in her line at the present time is to get the merchandise to sell. She discussed the various types of shoes and stated that while most men's shoes come from Massachusetts, the women's shoes come largely from the Middle West.

She said that the largest present demand is for moccasins and saddle shoes but "due to the fact that no good leather is available now, buckskins, gabardines and lizards will make up the spring stock."

The drawing for the monthly gift was won by Mrs. Fred Faber. Due to the Columbia Concert Association's presentation here on March 12, the next business meeting of the club will be held March 11.

Two Homes Tagged  
For Scarlet Fever

Two more Adams county homes were placed under scarlet fever quarantine Monday afternoon by William I. Shields, state sanitary officer for Adams county.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Walter, Biglerville R. 1, Butler township, was placarded because of the illness of 13-year-old Daniel Walter, a Biglerville high school student.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kimple, Orrtanna R. 2, Franklin township, also was tagged. A six-year-old son, Robert, a pupil at Strausbaugh's school, is ill.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Leer, Gardners R. 1, announce the birth of a son at the Carlisle hospital Sunday.

A daughter was born at the Carlisle hospital Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. William Smith, Gardners R. 1.

FARM LABOR  
OFFICE WILL  
OPEN MAR. 15

The farm labor office in Gettysburg will re-open March 15, in charge of J. B. Collins, members of the board of directors of the Adams County extension service were informed at their annual meeting Friday evening in the extension offices in the court house. Miss Vera Redding will be secretary. The location of the office is the same as last year.

H. E. Brown, Fairfield, was re-elected president of the board; John Peters, Aspers, vice president, and Quentin D. Robert, Littlestown, treasurer. The board elected Howard Waybright, Gettysburg R. 2, secretary, in place of John C.



HARRY E. BROWN  
Bream, Gettysburg. Ten of the 15 directors were present.

Reports were given by M. T. Hartman, farm agent, Ira Dummire, assistant agent and Miss Mildred Adams, home economics representative. Mr. Hartman, reporting on the beef club roundup at Lancaster December 11, 12 and 13, said that Adams county members received above the average price paid at the sale of calves.

Receive Annual Reports

Baby beef, dairy club and senior extension club activities were reported by Mr. Dummire, and the problem of securing a new cow tester for Adams county was discussed. The directors were informed regarding the 1946 fruit spray program.

Reports were also submitted on the poultry meetings, with C. O. Dawson, State College specialist, swine feeding and management meetings, with L. C. Madison, State College; the tomato growers' meeting sponsored by the C. H. Musselman company and the district potato growers' meeting at York February 5. Extension workers attended a conference at State College in December and the annual farm show in Harrisburg in January.

Communities interested in 4-H club work were requested to get in touch with Miss Adams. Such clubs are open to girls and boys between 10 and 20 years of age, she said.

Mr. Hartman pointed out that "the purpose of the extension work is chiefly educational, and endeavors to help farmers to help themselves with problems dealing with successful home and farm management."

20,000 PIECES OF  
CLOTHING GIVEN

More than 20,000 pieces of used clothing, donated by Gettysburg and other Adams county residents during the recent Victory Clothing Collection, have been packed and are ready to be trucked to a baling concern in Trenton, N. J., where they will be readied for shipment abroad.

Chairman Cloyd Shetter, chairman of the clothing campaign here, said that all of the clothing has been packed in cartons and tied but about 1,500 pairs of shoes remain to be placed in bags. Some of the shoes were not tied together by the donors and will have to be matched by Mr. Shetter and his helpers.

The clothing will fill one large moving van, Mr. Shetter said. He acknowledged receipt of a truck load of sorted and packed used clothing from York Springs community. He estimated the shipment contained 1,000 or more garments. A large quantity of clothing also has been received from the Hoffman orphanage.

The clothing is to be loaded on a big truck some time this week and moved to Trenton as the local drive ends.

Three Automobiles  
Figure In Accident

Three automobiles figured in a collision on Baltimore street Sunday in front of the Presbyterian church, in which total damage was estimated by borough police at \$100. No one was injured.

An automobile operated by Miss Sarah A. Kuhn, Gettysburg R. 1, and one driven by Capt. G. W. Green, Camp Ritchie, Md., collided when Miss Kuhn pulled out from the curb, police said. The Kuhn car then struck the automobile of Charles Codori, Gettysburg R. 2.

'Sweetheart Of Sigma  
Chi' Is Miss Denz

Miss Carol Denz, Flushing, Long Island, was voted the "sweetheart of Sigma Chi" Friday evening at the annual sweetheart dance held by the Gettysburg college chapter of the fraternity in the Hotel Gettysburg.

Miss Denz was presented with the sweetheart pin by Robert Joel, counsel of the local chapter who was also her escort of the evening. Mrs. Michael D. Dalton, who was selected last year as sweetheart, presented the Flushing, L. I. girl with a basket of white roses, the Sigma Chi flower, and her name will be inscribed on the sweetheart cup of the fraternity.

Chaperons for the dance were Dr. and Mrs. Frank H. Kramer, Dr. and Mrs. William K. Sundermyer, Dr. and Mrs. John C. Glenn and Mrs. Ida Poole.

COUNTY LIBRARY  
OPENS TWO NEW  
BOOK STATIONS

Miss Kathryn Oller, county librarian, announced today the establishment this week of two additional book distribution stations in the county. There are now six stations, one branch library in New Oxford, and 14 county school stations, Miss Oller said.

The new stations are at E. D. Bushman's store in Arendtsville and in the library quarters operated by the Mademoiselle club in York Springs.

The Arendtsville station was opened Monday. Mr. Bushman has turned over one window at his store to the library. Store clerks serve as the custodians.

Thursday evening Miss Oller took a collection of books to the library at York Springs, located near the postoffice. The library there has a collection of its own of 350 volumes. The library is opened once each week and is tended by members of the Mademoiselle club. "They are cooperating with the county library by taking a collection of county books and circulating them to the public along with their own," Miss Oller explained.

Seek More Stations

The custodians of the six adult deposit stations serve without any remuneration.

Miss Oller said she is seeking additional contacts for the establishment of new book stations in many sections of the county. "I will be glad to hear from persons who are willing to take care of a small collection of books for their neighborhood or who can suggest someone who will be willing and able to do it," Miss Oller said.

The busy main library at 135 Carlisle street, Gettysburg, is open from noon to 5 p. m. on Mondays and Tuesdays; from noon to 9 p. m. on Wednesdays; noon to 5 p. m. Thursdays; 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Fridays, and 9 a. m. to 9 p. m., Saturdays.

SET DATES FOR  
PIAA PLAYOFFS

The P.I.A.A. Class A basketball championship final will again be held in Philadelphia's Convention Hall, on March 30, it was announced Monday.

In the East, District 1 will play District 3, with 11 drawing a bye, and District 4 opposing District 2. Survivors of the 4-2 contest will meet District 11, and the 1-3 winner will gain a bye. Survivors play for the Eastern regional title.

Class B Dates Set

The P.I.A.A. Class B elimination series in the Western region has Districts 5 vs. 6 and 9 vs. 10 for March 20, with survivors playing for the regional honor on March 26. In the East Districts 11 and 1 will meet, with 3 bying, and 2 vs. 12 with 4 betting a bye. The games will take place March 20. The 11-1 winner meets 3, and the 2-12 winner plays 4 in March 23 games. The Class B State final will be played March 29 at either Altoona or Farrell.

District 7 (W.P.I.A.L.) drew a first round bye in the inter-district play-off games of the Western Region Class A series.

In the first round District 8 (Pittsburgh) will play District 9 with District 10 holding a bye. District 5 meeting District 6 with the W.P.I.A.L. champion being a bye-holder.

The 8-9 winner will play the 10 representative and the 5-6 victor will meet the W.P.I.A.L. entry. Survivors of these games will clash for the Western regional title.

Couple Honored On  
Silver Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cool, Baltimore road, observed their 25th wedding anniversary at a dinner held in their honor on Sunday.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cool and daughter, Bernadette, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Schriver and children, Joan, Barbara, Tommy and Scotty, all of Gardners; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Schriver and daughters, Donna Marie, Patsy and Gloria, all of Aspers; Anthony Mullen, of Philadelphia, and Helen Bennett, of Harrisburg.

6 SEMINARIANS  
WILL RECEIVE  
DEGREES FRIDAY

Six students will receive their bachelor of divinity degrees from the Lutheran Theological seminary of Gettysburg this evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Church of the Abiding Presence on the seminary campus.

The February graduation exercises are part of the speeded up program of the seminary started during the early part of the war in order to provide the nation with much needed ministers and chaplains.

Dr. Harvey D. Hoover, of the seminary faculty, will confer the degrees to the graduates in the absence of Dr. Abdel Ross Wentz, president of the seminary, who is in Geneva attending a world church conference.

Two To Be Licensed

Dr. Ralph D. Helm will present the graduates who include Klaus Heymann Schaeffer, Gettysburg; Robert Warren Koons, Harrisburg; Alvin Frederick Messersmith, Buffalo; William George Rappold, Brooklyn, N. Y.; John Robert Spandler, Park Ridge, Ill.; and Herman Gustav Stuenkel, Jr., Hughesville.

Graduates Koons and Stuenkel will be licensed by the Central Pennsylvania Synod of the United Lutheran Church in America by the synodical president, the Rev. Dr. Mervin Roy Hamsher, immediately after receiving their diplomas.

The graduation address on "The Ministry, The Glory of Christ," will be delivered by the Rev. Dr. Herbert Christian Allemen.

Scheduled to open the exercises is a prelude, "Benedictus," by Reger and "Our Father," Bach, played by John E. Sanderson. A hymn, "O Holy Spirit Enter In," versicle, psalm, gloria patri, lessons, a hymn, "O God of Mercy," canticle, prayer and another hymn will precede the address by Doctor Allemen. A hymn, "O Spirit of the Living God," will precede the conferring of degrees, and another hymn "A Charge To Keep Have I" will follow, after which Doctor Hamsher will license the candidates.

NURSERYMAN  
ED W. HARTMAN  
EXPIRES AT 75

Ed W. Hartman, 75-year-old Cashtown nurseryman and former rural school teacher, died Wednesday morning at 5:20 o'clock at his home from a complication of diseases after an illness of 10 months. He had been bedfast one week.

Mr. Hartman was a native of Adams county and a son of the late Noah and Rebecca (Ketterman) Hartman. Mr. Hartman had taught in the rural schools of the county for 27 years. He was one of the oldest nurserymen in the state.

He was a member of the Cashtown Reformed church and of the Gettysburg lodge of the Eagles.

Services Saturday

He and Mrs. Hartman, the former Rose M. Felix, would have marked their fiftieth wedding anniversary next May 6.

Besides his widow, Mr. Hartman is survived by two sons, Clare E. and Leroy Hartman, both at home; a grandson, Jack, whom Mr. and Mrs. Hartman raised from birth; five other grandchildren, and these brothers and sisters: Clement A. Cashtown; Calvin, Pittsburgh; Mrs. A. J. Carbaugh, Arendtsville, and Mrs. Nile Thomas, Biglerville.

Funeral services from the Bender funeral home Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock with his pastor, the Rev. John Ehrhart, officiating. Interment in Floh's church cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home this evening after 7 o'clock.

McSherrystown To  
Build Engine House

The purchase of land at Third and Main streets in McSherrystown, to be used as the site for a new fire engine house was approved at a meeting of the McSherrystown borough council last week in the council chambers.

The plot, fronting 40 feet on Main street, is to be purchased from Harry J. Wagaman. It is located at the southwest corner of the intersection, about half a block from the present engine house. No time for the erection of the proposed engine house has been fixed, council feeling that conditions at present would make it unwise to build now.

The purchase of the land is provided for by an ordinance adopted at last week's meeting and appearing in this issue of the New Oxford Item.

Miss Trimmer Lands  
Big Fish At Miami

Miss Betty Trimmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nevin Trimmer, Biglerville R. 2, now a nurse at Miami, Florida, recently landed the second largest kingfish caught in Miami waters this season.

The thirty-two pound fish was landed after a 15-minute struggle by the local girl, who also caught a twenty-six pound kingfish during the same deep sea fishing trip on February 2.

Lt. Charles W. Wolf  
Now Judge Advocate

Lt. Charles W. Wolf, Gettysburg attorney, has been appointed trial judge advocate of the general court martial for the base air depot area, U. S. Air Forces in Europe, and as such will represent the government as prosecution attorney in all general court martial cases arising from offenses committed by personnel of the air force stations of the air depot area of the United Kingdom, according to word received here.

Prior to his appointment by the commanding general of the base air depot area, Lt. Wolf had been assigned to duty as assistant staff judge of headquarters, European Air Transport Service, Weisbaden, Germany. Lt. Wolf is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Guy Wolf, Gettysburg. He succeeds Lt. George P. Flacus, another Pennsylvanian, who was a classmate at Harvard Law school, in his new post.

Lt. Wolf is a grandson of Mrs. Rachel Wolf and Mrs. Amanda Baugher, late of New Oxford.

NAME LEADERS  
FOR ANNUAL RED  
CROSS FUND CAMPAIGN

With completion of plans for the annual chapter fund raising drive, the Adams county Red Cross chapter Friday announced chairmen for the various districts of the campaign to begin March 1.

M. B. Frazee, chairman of the fund drive, after conferring with the executive committee and officials of the chapter, also announced that an effort will be made to complete the campaign by March 15. The National Red Cross drive will extend to the end of the month.

District leaders for Gettysburg include: First ward, first precinct, Mrs. Frank Grider; first ward, second precinct, Mrs. Charles Smith; second ward, Mrs. Lila Craig; third ward, Mrs. Walter Africa; business district, Mares Sherman; Gettysburg college, Dr. George R. Miller.

S. L. Allison has been named chairman of District No. 1, the Fairfield section; Mrs. Hope Morgan, Cashtown area; H. Earl Pitzer, upper Adams county, Biglerville; Donald R. Miller, York Springs-Heidersburg; Robert Myers, East Berlin; P. W. Higginbotham, New Oxford; Rt. Rev. Msgr. Patrick F. McGee, McSherrystown, and Mrs. E. S. Lewars, Gettysburg R. D. The chairman for the Littlestown district will be announced in the near future.

Members of the executive committee for the campaign include Mr. Frazee, Paul Littleton and William Tyson.

Materials for the drive to be given the volunteer workers are being distributed to the various chairmen by the members of the county chapter's Motor Corps headed by Mrs. Glenn L. Bream as chairman. Publicity posters were being placed in windows in town by the staff assistants under the direction of Mrs. Earl Bowen, volunteer Special Services chairman.

NEGRO WOMAN  
DIES IN FIRE

Miss Mattie May Davis, 74, colored, of South Fayette street, Mercersburg, was fatally burned when the house in which she made her home was badly damaged by fire Friday afternoon.

Miss Davis, who had been employed as a charwoman at the Mercersburg academy for 45 years and had worked on Friday, was badly burned about the chest and legs, Coroner S. D. Shull said following an investigation.

The coroner decided her death was accidental, and said there would not be an inquest.

Her body was found on the second floor of the two-story frame house amid rubble which had fallen from the attic when the attic floor burned through, indicating the victim was trapped on the attic level.

Miss Davis had lived in the attic portion of the house for nearly a year, since the lower portion was burned out by a previous fire. Debris of the previous fire was still about and the damage had not been repaired. Miss Davis, who lived alone, was said to have had an oil stove to heat her living quarters. The house was to have been razed. Miss Davis, however, declined to move.

The house was located beside the factory building of the S. Leibowitz firm, women's clothing manufacturers, and firemen worked desperately to prevent the spread of the fire to the factory. The extreme cold and ice formed by water thrown by firemen made their work difficult.

Surviving are three half-sisters and a half-brother: Miss Maggie Davis, Mercersburg; Mrs. Harry Shores, Lewisburg; George Davis, Hancock, Md., and Miss Ruth Davis, Gettysburg.

Private funeral services were held at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the home of her niece, Mrs. Charles Dixon, Mercersburg, in charge of Rev. H. J



## NINE RESIDENTS OF TOWN FAVOR NEW JAIL SITE

Nine residents of Gettysburg, who reside within the vicinity of the jail, in a communication to the Gettysburg Times Thursday, go on record as favoring the relocation of the jail.

Among the reasons for their objections to having the jail located on its present site they mention the proximity of schools, churches and the kindergarten.

The communication is signed by nine residents who asked that their names not be published and who asked that the communication be published as coming from "Neighbors of present jail."

The communication follows:

"The people whose lot it has been to live near the Adams county jail have been intensely interested in the various reports which have recently been made concerning the relocation of this necessary institution. We have given careful consideration to this situation. We must give voice to our opinions. Without a doubt the jail should be relocated. We say this not because the jail has exerted any evil influence upon us or our children.

### Churches in Vicinity

"We believe that any community which combines its school houses, churches and jail in one neighborhood has not considered the matter wisely. Let us be not aware of the facts as they stand, let us remind ourselves that the kindergarten for the town, the first four grades of our school system and the high school are in close proximity. If there is any danger of wrong impressions, these are the years of one's life in which they are made.

"Most of our churches are within a block of this institution. Perhaps this is a good thing. It does not look well for our citizenry, however. The stranger within our gates has only too frequently made sport of our short-sightedness in this matter.

"The big issue at stake, however, is the need of such a location where there will be ample room to give a proper setting to such a building as has been planned. There would not be space enough at the present location no matter what adjustments might be made to provide the necessary room needed. Surely Adams county is big enough and full of more suitable locations. We are wholeheartedly for a change of location and that as soon as possible.

"We respectfully submit that the taxpayers living in close proximity to the present jail and contributing financially to the support of local institutions should be heard."

## Weddings

### Smith-Sadler

Miss Betty Jane Sadler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Murray A. Sadler, Gettysburg R. 4, and James Grayson Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith, Emmitsburg R. 2, were united in marriage Saturday evening at 6 o'clock in St. James Lutheran church by the Rev. Dr. Ralph R. Gresh. The double-ring ceremony was used. The bride is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Sadler, of New Oxford.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester G. Wastler, Emmitsburg, attended the couple.

The bride was dressed in light blue and wore a shoulder corsage of roses and sweet peas. Mrs. Wastler wore light pink and also a corsage of roses and sweet peas.

The bridegroom was recently discharged from the army after serving with the 89th Infantry Division overseas. He is engaged with his brother in the trucking business.

Following the ceremony the couple left on a wedding trip of unannounced destination and upon their return will reside at 134 Carlisle street, Gettysburg.

### Menges-McIntire

Miss Dolly Mae McIntire, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. McIntire, East Berlin, and Charles Allen Menges, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen H. Menges, East Berlin, were married Saturday at the parsonage of the Kreutz Creek Reformed church, Hellam, by the Rev. Richard E. Shaffer, former pastor of the Reformed church, East Berlin.

The bride is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McIntire, late of New Chester.

### Smith-Hart

Miss Betty Jane Hart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Raymond Hart, Hanover, and Paul A. Smith, Jr., S. 1/c, McSherrystown, were married Monday evening of last week in the rectory of the Church of the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin, McSherrystown, by the rector, the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Patrick F. McGee. They were attended by Miss Rita Willet, McSherrystown, and James Smith, brother of the bridegroom.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride with about fifty guests attending. The bride is a graduate of the Hanover high school and is employed in the office of W. D. Byron and Sons, Hanover. She will reside at her home while her husband is in the service.

### Kemper-Schlosser

Lester Edward Kemper, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Kemper, of Adams county, and Charlotte Schlosser,

## Woodlot Thinning To Be Demonstrated

Adams county farmers and others interested, will have an opportunity next week of learning, at first hand, more about farm woodlot thinning, management and cutting of pulpwood, from an expert.

Meetings are scheduled Tuesday and Wednesday, February 26 and 27, with W. W. Simonds, forestry extension specialist, State College, in charge. Mr. Simonds will discuss and demonstrate woodlot thinning and management at the farm of Roy E. Wolf, Fairfield road, Gettysburg R. 2, beginning at 9:30 a. m. Tuesday.

"Timer Estimation" will be the subject to be discussed at the farm of J. S. Deatrick, Aspers R. D., Tuesday afternoon at 1:30, and Mr. Simonds will discuss the cutting of pulpwood at the farm of John Ritz, New Oxford R. 1, near the Pine Run school, at 9:30 a. m. Wednesday.

The demonstrations are under the direction of M. T. Hartman, county farm agent.

## POETRY IS TOPIC OF DR. MASON IN ROTARY SPEECH

"Poetry is practical," Dr. Francis Mason, member of the English department of Gettysburg college and a poet in his own right, told members of the Gettysburg Rotary club Monday evening at the organization's regular meeting in the YWCA.

"The mistake most people make concerning poetry is that they approach it with the question, 'What does it mean?' Poetry has many meanings, one might as well ask a mother of a child, 'What does he mean?' or one might condemn an oak tree because it has more branches on one side than on another. You would not call the oak tree illogical because its limbs do not conform to some idea of oak perfection nor would you ask of a child, 'What does it mean?' The tree would answer that it is a product of growth and not logic and the Mother would answer that the child exists rather than that it has some defined meaning.

"Poetry is music—and should always be read aloud—it is an attempt to recreate in the reader the experience that has occurred to the poet. It is not a journalistic report written in rhyme; it is not something that has a 'meaning' as such. Rather it is the planting of images in rhythmic manner in order to give an enriching experience and many times it needs pondering over, for the poetic language is concise and three words of poetry may express more than 30 words of prose."

Dr. Mason read a number of poems written by himself outlining the idea of poetry expressing a general experience. He was introduced by Attorney Frank R. Bigham, Vice President Chester N. Gitt presided in the absence of President James S. Cairns. Thirty-six members and guests attended.

### Myers-Reichstein

Mary Ann Reichstein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Reichstein, New Oxford R. D. 2, and Eugene Wilson Myers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Myers, York, were married by Rev. George Sheffer in New Oxford Friday night in a double-ring ceremony.

Best man was Gordon Myers, brother of the bridegroom. Dorothy Lease was maid of honor and Miss Laverne Davis was the bridesmaid.

### MacPherson-Knox

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Knox, Sr., Steinwehr avenue, announce the marriage of their daughter, Catherine Angela, to Donald E. MacPherson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver MacPherson, Sr., Carlisle street. The marriage was solemnized at 2:30 this afternoon in St. John's rectory, Westminster, by Rev. McCroarty. The double ring ceremony was used. The couple was attended by Carl R. Knox and Mrs. Leonard Redding.

The bride was attired in a royal blue suit with black accessories. Her corsage consisted of two gardenias with red rose buds. Her matron-of-honor wore a black two-piece dress with matching accessories and her corsage was identical with the bride's.

Immediately following the ceremony the couple left on a week's wedding trip to Washington Court House, Ohio, where they will visit a brother-in-law and sister of the bridegroom, Mr. and Mrs. Richard F. Ramsay.

The bride is employed by the Acme market on center square. The bridegroom was discharged from the army in October after spending 32 months overseas where he was attached to the First Army.

### Hoffman-Deardoff

LaRue H. Deardoff, daughter of Mrs. Annie M. Hostetter and the late John E. Hostetter, Hanover, and Robert C. Hoffman, Gettysburg, son of Mrs. Annie B. Hoffman, Bedford, were married Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The single ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Burt A. Behrens, pastor of the Reformed church at Rohrersstown, Lancaster county.

The bride is employed as manager of Hostetter's Cut Rate store, Frederick street, Hanover and the bridegroom is employed by C. C.

## SCOUTMASTERS CONFERENCE ON MONDAY NIGHT

The second in a series of local District Scoutmasters' Roundtables will be held by the Black Walnut District Scoutmasters Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock at Gettysburg high school. It was announced Thursday by Sneed Cliff, local scout field executive.

Wednesday night the first in the series of roundtables was held for the Conewago district, which includes scout troops in the eastern part of Adams county and Hanover, at the Metropolitan Edison building in Hanover.

Scheduled for Monday evening's session of the Black Walnut group, which includes western Adams county troops, are talks on "New Advancement Procedure" by the Rev. Dr. Dwight F. Putnam, Black Walnut District Advancement chairman, and Rush C. Little, Hanover, Court of Honor chairman; "Stamp Saving Plan for Summer Camps" by William Whiteley, Arendtsville, district camping and activities chairman, and Mr. Cliff and the "Shirts-Off Our Backs" campaign by William Ridinger, Gettysburg, district commissioner.

### General Discussion

Following the talks a round table discussion will be held by the scoutmasters and committeemen on the various subjects.

At Wednesday night's session of the Conewago district Mr. Little, Russell Held, assistant scout executive and Paul Aumen, district advancement chairman outlined the new advancement procedure while Mr. Cliff detailed the stamp saving program for summer camp. District Commissioner William O. Randall spoke of the "Shirts Off Our Backs" campaign by which the scouts plan to turn in their outgrown or unused uniforms to be shipped to the Philippines and other areas where Scout troops that were wiped out by the war are starting anew.

Frank Altland, Abbottstown, neighborhood commissioner and E. W. Mangle, Sr., chairman of leadership training outlined a leadership training program on bird study, flowers, trees, axmanship and stars to be held the week-end of May 4 and 5. Altland, Charles Weaves, Abbottstown; Walter Blettner, Hanover, and Merrill Yohe, New Oxford, agreed to serve as instructors for the training session.

### Favor Camp Program

The Conewago group voted unanimously in favor of a council camp program for the summer and suggested that a buckskin camporee be held during the coming spring or fall. The next session of the district will be held March 20.

Among those attending the meeting were Assistant Scoutmaster John W. Murren, of the Irishstown troop; Scoutmasters Merrill A. Yohe and Thomas D. O'Brien of the New Oxford troops; Scoutmasters Charles Weaver and J. Faber Wildasin, of the Abbottstown troops; Scoutmaster Frank J. McCadden, Assistant Scoutmaster Theron Neider and troop committeemen Harold Greenholtz and Joseph C. Gouker of the McSherrystown troop. All but one of the Hanover troops were represented. There was no representative present from the Littlestown troop.

### Gilman-Boyer

Mrs. Violet Boyer, Carlisle, formerly of Gettysburg, and John W. Gilman, St. Cloud, Minn., were united in marriage Saturday noon in the parsonage of the United Brethren church, Hagerstown. The single ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. F. L. Plummer.

The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thomas, Gettysburg. The bride wore a two-piece light blue street suit with black accessories and a corsage of white roses.

Mr. Gilman was recently discharged from the army after three years of service. He is now employed by the C. H. Masland company, Carlisle. The couple will reside in Carlisle.

### Rentzel-Baughman

Miss Mardella Rineman Baughman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rineman, Littlestown, and Lloyd L. Rentzel, Hanover, were united in marriage Saturday evening at 8:30 o'clock in the parsonage of St. Mary's Reformed church, Silver Run, Md. The double ring ceremony of the church was performed by the pastor, the Rev. Albert E. Shenberger. The groom is employed by Kroh's Taxi Service. They will reside at 440 Carlisle street, Hanover.

### Sexton-Manges

The Rev. and Mrs. Edmund L. Manges, of Huntingdon, last week announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Kathryn Grace Manges, to Lieutenant Commander James Joseph Sexton, Jr., U.S.N.R., on Friday, December 7 in Philadelphia.

The bride is well known in Gettysburg. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Lerew, Biglerville, February 13.

## Engagement Of Local Girl Is Announced Today



MISS RASMUSSEN

Dr. and Mrs. Carl C. Rasmussen announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary-Elizabeth, to Lt. Charles Robert Shelton, III, USNR, son of Dr. and Mrs. Charles Robert Shelton, Jr., of Washington, D. C.

Miss Rasmussen is a graduate of Gettysburg college and is at present associated with the American Red Cross in Washington. She was a visitor for the Public Assistance board of Adams county for two years prior to going to Washington.

Lt. Shelton attended Severn school, and is a graduate of the Georgetown School of Dentistry. He has recently returned from duty in the Pacific, and is now assigned to the U. S. Naval Medical Center, Bethesda, Md.

The wedding will take place on March 23 in the Chapel at the Gettysburg seminary where Dr. Rasmussen is the head of the Department of Systematic Theology.

## 18 TOWNSHIPS WILL RECEIVE LICENSE FUNDS

Auditor General G. Harold Wagner has approved payments totalling \$907,974.39 to 1,254 second class townships in the Commonwealth. The payments are the first to be made from an appropriation of \$8,500,000 out of the Motor License Fund, to the State Department of Highways for the 1946-47 biennium. The money is for the maintenance, construction and reconstruction of township roads and bridges.

The funds are allocated on the basis of the ratio which the mileage of township roads in each township bears to the total mileage of township roads in all of the townships of the second class in the Commonwealth as of January 1, 1946.

The Adams county townships and the amount each will receive, are: Berwick, \$203.45; Conewago, \$213.93; Cumberland, \$749.05; Franklin, \$1,408.29; Freedom, \$304.02; Hamilton, \$521.50; Hamiltonban, \$575.29; Highland, \$383.53; Huntingdon, \$1,054.70; Latimore, \$558.82; Liberty, \$477.07; Menallen, \$921.40; Mt. Pleasant, \$1,065.22; Oxford, \$309.86; Reading, \$989.69; Straban, \$912.28; Tyrone, \$847.04; Union, \$485.26.

## NCCW COUNCIL MEETS SUNDAY

Miss Mary Donohoe, Washington, D. C. formerly of the Harrisburg Diocesan Council and now a member of the National Headquarters Staff of the National Council of Catholic Women, will be the speaker at the quarterly meeting of the Conewago Deanery council Sunday at 3 p. m., in St. Aloysius Catholic hall, Littlestown. Her subject will deal with the pope's recent address to the Catholic women of Italy on the topic of women's duties in the social and political life.

In keeping with Catholic Press month, there will be a display of Catholic books and literature, including children's selections; and there will be an exchange of magazines and periodicals. There will also be messages about good and bad reading, about movies, and a short musical interlude.

All the women of the parishes in the Conewago Deanery, including Bonneauville, Buchanan Valley, Conewago, Chambersburg, Fairfield, Littlestown, Gettysburg, New Oxford, McSherrystown, and Waynesboro are invited to attend the open meeting. The board meeting will be held at 1:30 o'clock before the open meeting. All parish presidents, and standing committee chairmen are urged to attend, in addition to the officers of the Deanery Council.

The program has been arranged by the president, Miss Marie Carbaugh, New Oxford, and the diocesan chairman of libraries and literature, Mrs. Paul E. Altoft, Littlestown.

### LICENSED TO WED

A marriage license was issued at the court house Wed., to Charles Edward Kuhn, son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Kuhn, Gettysburg R. 5, and Miss Evelyn Mae Welby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Welby, Hanover.

## CHURCH GUILD MARKS 15TH ANNIVERSARY

Observance of the 15th anniversary of its organization marked the February meeting of the Women's Service Guild of Christ Lutheran church Wednesday afternoon in the social rooms of Christ Lutheran church. The program was prefaced by a brief business session with the president, Mrs. Robert Fortenbaugh, presiding.

Mrs. Mark K. Eckert gave a resume of the work done by the group during the 15 years. Miss Lois Mumford, a student at Gettysburg college, sang "In the Month of Roses" and "Trees" with Mrs. J. E. Sanderson playing the accompaniments. Mrs. Lester O. Johnson read an original poem appropriate to the occasion and Mrs. Paul A. Kinsey played a group of compositions by Chopin.

Twelve tea tables were decorated, each in a color scheme in keeping with a month of the year. Presiding at the tables were January, Mrs. Edgar L. Deardoff; February, Mrs. Robert Fortenbaugh and Mrs. J. A. Holzworth; March, Mrs. Harvey D. Hoover; April, Mrs. Parker Wagnild; May, Mrs. John Kaitreider; June, Miss Kate Gilbert; July, Mrs. Paul Spangler; August, Miss Anna Reck; September, Mrs. Edgar A. Crouse; October, Mrs. Lester O. Johnson; November, Mrs. R. S. Saby and Mrs. Charles Black, and December, Mrs. C. E. Bilheimer.

A large birthday cake used as a centerpiece on the February table was cut by Mrs. George D. Stahley. Members were served tea at the tables representing their birthday months.

## Deaths

### Mrs. Grace Neely McCune

Mrs. Grace Neely McCune died Jan. 28 in Nebraska City, Neb. She was a niece of the late Mrs. Augustus Felser and a cousin of J. Frank Felser, of New Oxford. Her husband preceded her in death two years ago. She leaves one daughter, Catherine, and a sister, Catherine, in New Jersey. She was formerly of Harrisburg, and years ago she spent her summers in New Oxford. She went west 25 years ago and expected to make her first trip east the first of February.

### Miss Emma A. Klunk

Miss Emma A. Klunk, 72, died Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock at her home, 119 Main street, McSherrystown. She had been confined to bed for one week.

Miss Klunk was a daughter of the late Henry Jacob and Catharine Elizabeth Klunk.

She was a member of the Church of the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary and of the Blessed Virgin Sodality of the church.

Surviving are two brothers and three sisters, Charles E. Klunk, Hanover, R. 4; William R. Klunk, Spring Grove R. D.; Miss Mary C. Klunk, 119 Main street, McSherrystown; Mrs. Rebecca Burke, Main street, McSherrystown, and Mrs. Mark Staub, Hanover R. D. 4.

Funeral services Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock from the Kernan funeral home, McSherrystown. A solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated in the Church of the Annunciation of the Blessed Virgin Mary at 9 o'clock. The rector, Rt. Rev. Msgr. Patrick F. McGee, was the celebrant. Interment in the Conewago Chapel cemetery.

### Charles W. Good

Charles W. Good, 72, Hanover R. 1, died suddenly at the home of Eugene Hilker, Littlestown R. 2, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock while helping to butcher.

Dr. C. G. Crist, Adams county coroner, investigated and attributed death to coronary occlusion.

Mr. Good, a retired farmer, was the son of the late John and Mary (Stonesifer) Good. He was a member of the Independent Fundamental church of Hanover.

Surviving are his widow, the former Sarah E. Marsh; 10 children, Mrs. Harry Bridendolph, Gettysburg; Mrs. Louis Wolf, Hanover; John W. Hanover R. 1; Mrs. Walter Hilker, Hanover R. 1; Robert C. Littlestown; Mrs. Ralph Hafner, at home; George A. Spring Grove, Md.; Margaret, Ralph and Ruth Etta, all at home.

Funeral services Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the J. W. Little and son funeral home, Littlestown, conducted by the Rev. Sanderson A. Jacobs. Interment in Union cemetery, Silver Run, Md. Friends may call at the funeral home this Thursday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock.

### Miss Mary Taney

Miss Mary Lella Taney, 86, Emmitsburg R. D., died at her home Saturday evening at 11:30 o'clock from a complication of diseases.

She was a daughter of the late Edward S. and Clara E. Taney and was a member of St. Anthony's Catholic church.

Surviving are two sisters, Sister Clara, of the Sisters of Charity, St. Joseph's college, Emmitsburg, R. D. Miss Alice Taney, Emmitsburg R. D. Funeral services Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock at St. Anthony's church conducted by the Rev. Fr. Thomas Reinhardt. Interment in St. Joseph's cemetery, Emmitsburg. Friends may call at the late home until the time of the services.

### Robert M. Moore

Robert M. Moore, 68, a native of

## Four Drivers Face Code Informations

Fred Shull, Littlestown, has been charged before Justice of the Peace Howard G. Blocher, Littlestown with operating a car after his driver's license had been suspended, the Gettysburg sub-station of the state police revealed Thursday.

Shull, who has yet to appear before the justice on a previous charge of making statements of fact on an owner's certificate, according to police, posted \$500 bail to appear before the county court on the charge.

Maurice Stoller, Rochester, N. Y., has paid a fine and costs on a charge of failing to stop at a stop sign, according to the state police who laid the information before Justice of the Peace David Hikes. Another New York man, Alton Plumb, of Macedon, N. Y., paid a fine and costs on the same charge before the same justice.

Jack Shannline, Norristown, will be sent a 10 day notice by Justice of the Peace John H. Basehore on a charge of failing to stop at a red light. The charge was placed by a member of the local state police.

## BAND ADDS 3 NEW MEMBERS

Three new members were admitted to the newly organized Blue and Gray band last Thursday while additional donations to the band fund were reported from 52 individuals and organizations.

The new members included Dale Stary, John Myers and Norman Gitt, bringing the total members of the community band to 45 so far. The organization practices each Thursday night at the fire engine house on East Middle street.

Among the donors listed Thursday were John C. Lower company, Fleet Wing Super Service, R. W. Wentz and Son, D. C. Stallsmith, M. A. Hartley company, Gettysburg National bank, The First National Bank of Gettysburg, Dr. A. R. Wentz, Howard Mittinger, Amy Ross, Murphy's, Jacobs Brothers store.

J. Herbert Raymond, J. T. Pitzer, Kuram Brothers, Willis F. Eckert, City Market, Gilbert's dry cleaning, Guy Mickleth, Tom George, Neille's beauty shop, Deluxe restaurant, Trostle's appliance store, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Eberhart, Harold Cromwell and Sam Mattingly, barbers; Britcher and Bender, Zerling's Hardware store, Blue Parrot, M. E. Tipton, Troy laundry, The Photo shop, Dunlop Tire store, Mitchell's restaurant.

Gettysburg Water company, Mr. and Mrs. Guyon E. Buehler, S. L. Baltzley, E. W. Thomas, James Getzly hotel, C. H. Stevens, Hankey and Plank garage, Mary Wierman Heintzelman, Harry P. Wentz, Luther Shryock, Clyde Hubbard, Jessie Easterday, John Duttera, Lawrence Sheads, George Warren, Martin Shoe store and Roy Alexander.

Adams county, died at his home in Dixon, Ill., Saturday morning following an illness of several days. He was born and raised near Fairfield, a son of the late I. Howard and Margaret McCreary Moore. He resided in Illinois since 1899 and at the time of his death was employed by the Illinois Utility company for which he was a collector for 18 years.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Anna Moore; three children, Howard M., Quincy, Ill.; Mrs. Margaret Engelsberger and Mrs. Jack Hayden, both of Dixon, Ill.; three brothers, A. M. Moore, Ashton, Ill.; Frank M., and Arthur M., both of Fairfield; three sisters, Miss Martha Moore, Fairfield; Ruth M. Moore, Helena, Mont., and Mrs. John A. Wagner, Ashton. A number of cousins reside in Adams county.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

### Philip A. Myers

Philip A. Myers, a retired farmer, died Friday at 5:30 p. m. at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Firman Deardoff, Wellsville. He was 77 years of age.

The deceased man, whose death was due to complication of diseases, was a member of Barrens Lutheran church.

The survivors are: Children, Mrs. Edgar Eulich, of town; Mrs. John Anderson, Wellsville R. D.; Mrs. John Bushey, Dillsburg R. D.; Firman, Wellsville R. D.; Mrs. Norman Weigard, of town, John Myers, Dover R. D., and Mrs. Deardoff, with whom he resided.

Also surviving are 20 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. George Spahr, East Berlin R. D.; George Myers, Goldsboro; Howard Myers, East Berlin R. D.; John W. Myers, Highmore, S. D.; Mrs. Harry Shanks, Eldersburg; and Mrs. Kate Herman, Harrisburg.

The funeral was held today at 1:30 p. m. with rites at the Cocklin Funeral home, Dillsburg. Concluding services in Barrens church. Interment in the adjoining cemetery. Rev. G. N. Young, pastor, was the officiating minister.

### Mrs. M. W. Freser

Mrs. Sarah Myrtle Freser, 66, wife of Maurice W. Freser, Lombard street, Littlestown, died at her home Wednesday morning at 10:45 o'clock after having been ill since last April. The deceased was a daughter of the late John E. and Sarah J. (Stonesifer) Walther and is survived by her husband, three children: Donald W. J. Everett and Mrs. Orville H. Sanders, all of Littlestown.

## FAIRFIELD GIVES 2 ARE TRAPPED WELCOME HOME IN FRAMEWORK TO SERVICEMEN OF HOME DOWNED BY STRONG WIND

Fairfield welcomed home its veterans of World War II Wednesday evening at a banquet and program held in the community hall by the citizens of the town.

More than 350 Fairfield area residents jam-packed the auditorium for the program held following the dinner and 250 soldiers, their parents and friends, were present for the turkey dinner held in the basement of the community hall.

The program in the auditorium opened with a general "community fellowship" at which more than 60 returned veterans were introduced along with their parents and the parents of men still in service. Also introduced was Mrs. James Donaldson, Orttanna, wife of former Sergeant Donaldson, who recently arrived here from her native England.

### Series of Talks

The Fairfield high school band under the direction of Warren W. Clark, New Oxford, presented a concert which included the "Tuxington March," "Santiago March," "The Waltz King," and "Valley Forge March." Jay Brown, a student at the school, presented a saxophone solo, "Nola."

Following a community song led by the Rev. Dr. Norman S. Wolf, pastor of Zion Lutheran church and chairman of the committee in charge, a series of addresses were presented by the postmaster, two returned war veterans and the president of the Lions club.

Postmaster George M. Neely spoke on "Sixty-five Years of Recollections of Fairfield" in which he recalled the days following the Civil War when he as a youngster knew the veterans of the Civil War who had returned to Fairfield and of their experiences. He then spoke of the Spanish-American War and its effect on the community and its citizens, and recalled the days of the First World War and the men from Fairfield who served in that conflict. He concluded his remarks by telling of the town's activities in connection with World War II.

Plans for Community

Guy E. Brown, a returned World War II veteran, responded to the talk given by Postmaster Neely and then urged that the community expand and "grow into a new era." He urged increased use of the community hall particularly by reactivated young people's groups, recommended that both boy and girl scout troops be organized in the community and proposed that a playground be constructed in Fairfield for the section's youngsters.

Robert C. Kleppinger, president of the Lions club, spoke on the return of the soldier to civilian life. Attorney Daniel E. Teeter, a returned World War II veteran, spoke on his experiences and observations while in the army and urged all to realize that those men still in the armed forces serving in the Army of Occupation are doing most to make sure that peace is retained in the world.



# SOUTH PENN TO OPERATE OWN CAGE PLAYOFF

The Southern Pennsylvania interscholastic athletic conference Wednesday evening accepted a compromise offered by the Pennsylvania Interscholastic Athletic Association and as a result the league will stage its own conference championship battle between the winners of its southern and northern divisions and then both teams will enter the District 3 PIAA playoffs.

Loop officials met in the Hotel Gettysburg for a dinner session at which they came expecting to hear that the PIAA plans to take over the championship title were still in effect, and heard instead that PIAA officials had decided to allow the loop to continue this year the same type of league playoff that it has had for the past three years.

Ralph Shockey, Chambersburg, outlined to the 39 schoolmen present the decisions at a District 3 PIAA meeting in Steelton at which the officials were told that all inter-league playoffs would be held here after under the supervision of the PIAA with the PIAA getting its usual rake-off of 33 1/3 per cent for the district plus five per cent for the PIAA office. Intra-league playoffs however will remain under the jurisdiction of the leagues and there will be no split of the gate receipts.

**Oppose Interpretation**  
The main objection the Southern Penn officials had with the PIAA rules was the interpretation of inter and intra. Shockey told the group. The South Penn loop at the beginning of the war divided into a Northern and Southern section so that the teams would not have too great distances to travel and thus gasoline and transportation could be saved. The set-up, Shockey pointed out, was purely temporary and the league and the league officials felt that they still had one league, divided only because of the war difficulties and that the playoff between the northern champion and the southern champion for the league title was strictly an intra-circuit battle.

PIAA in the form of Secretary Edmund Wicht held otherwise, Shockey reported. The PIAA, believing that the South Penn league was actually two leagues and that the playoff game—which this year will be between Carlisle and the winner of a Gettysburg-Chambersburg contest—was an inter-league competition, and therefore should be handled by the PIAA.

At that time, Shockey added, District 3 went on record as opposing the PIAA ruling but nothing could be done about it this year.

**Both In Playoffs**  
Guile W. Lefever, principal of Gettysburg high school, then told the group that the PIAA secretary had called him Wednesday afternoon to state that "the Board of Control of the PIAA, meeting at Pittsburgh, has decided that the South Penn conference can have its playoff as it had last year between the northern and southern division leaders provided that the playoff takes place before the District 3 PIAA playoffs and provided that both teams enter the District 3 competitions."

Then followed a long discussion in which it was pointed out that Lancaster county's league, which is divided into three sections, just as the South Penn is now divided into two, last year had to hold its playoff between the three division leaders under the direction of the PIAA.

The group, feeling that PIAA had backed down a lot on its stand, and feeling too that the difficulty would disappear after this year because the loop drops its division set-up after this season, voted to go ahead as the PIAA suggested.

One suggestion was added, in the form of a recommendation to the District officials, that the winning team in the divisional playoff—between Carlisle and the southern district winner—be given a bye in the opening round of the District 3 contests.

Secretary Wicht assured the league, Mr. Lefever said, that the two South Penn teams will not be matched against each other in the first round of games.

**Approve Officials**  
Six new basketball officials were approved for the league. They included Duke Cramer, York; Al Franckle, Carlisle; Boyd Fortney, Mechanicsburg; Duke Maronic and Joe Mulligan, both of Steelton, and Cliff Hartman, Lancaster.

It was announced that the track committee of the South Penn loop will meet tonight at Chambersburg to set up the program for the South Penn track meet May 11 at Carlisle.

The members of the South Penn group were invited to attend the annual football clinic at Gettysburg college March 22 and 23.

# Navy Officer Is On Inactive Duty

Lieutenant Gerald W. Krepps, 28, USNR, whose wife lives on North street, McSherrystown, Penna., has been released to inactive duty by the Navy's Separation Center at the Philadelphia Navy Yard.

Lieutenant Krepps has served in the Pacific area, in Smar, Manila, and Subic Bay.

He graduated from Mt. St. Mary's college and received his DDS from Temple University prior to entering the navy.

# License Revoked; Second Suspended

The State Liquor Control Board announced Wednesday the revocation of the liquor license of Mitchell's restaurant, center square. It was charged the establishment sold to visibly intoxicated persons; permitted minors to frequent; sold to minors and made sales in excess of 72 fluid ounces.

A 45-day suspension was given the Ritz cafe, 22 Chambersburg street, George A. Miller, proprietor. In addition to sales to visibly intoxicated persons, the proprietor was charged with maintaining an establishment "not a place habitually and principally used for the purpose of providing food for the public."

# COMPROMISE IS OFFERED BY CC ON JAIL SITE

A compromise plan for the location of the new Adams county jail on county property on the Biglerville road, but far enough back from the highway so that land fronting the road may be used, at some future date, for building lots, was presented to the county commissioners Wed. by the Chamber of Commerce.

The submission of this compromise followed a meeting in the commissioners' office February 8 at which speakers said the erection of the new jail along the highway would prevent future residential expansion in this area. The Chamber of Commerce representatives agreed at that time to conduct a survey and present recommendations to the commissioners.

Henry W. Garvin, president of the Chamber, and Henry M. Scharf, appeared for the Chamber Wednesday. Moving the jail location back 200 feet from the Biglerville road would leave room for building lots in front of the jail and space for a new, 25-foot street, they said.

Mr. Scharf and Mr. Garvin conceded that to move the county home and build the new jail at some other location than the county-owned property would cost at least \$500,000. The county is not in a position to raise or spend now.

There was no suggestion that building lots would become immediately available, and Attorney Eugene V. Bullett, counsel for the commissioners, said the present commissioners did not favor selling lots on the Biglerville road. A driveway, lawn and shrubbery will front the jail when it is built, the commissioners said.

It was also suggested that should the present county home buildings be condemned at a future date, the county-owned tract provides sufficient room to erect new county home buildings far enough from the Harrisburg road to provide additional lots on this highway.

The possibility was also seen that an exercise yard at the jail will not be required. The present plans call for a wire screen instead of a wall around the jail yard. Relative attractiveness of the jail building itself was stressed. The windows will have no bars, commissioners said.

# C. W. GOOD, 72, DIES SUDDENLY

Charles W. Good, 72, Hanover R. 1, Adams county, died suddenly at the home of Eugene Hiler, Littlestown R. 2, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock while helping to butcher.

Dr. C. G. Crist, Adams county coroner, investigated and attributed death to coronary occlusion.

Mr. Good, a retired farmer, was the son of the late John and Mary (Stonesifer) Good. He was a member of the Independent Fundamental church of Hanover.

Surviving are his widow, the former Sarah E. Marsh; 10 children, Mrs. Harry Briendolph, Gettysburg; Mrs. Louis Wolf, Hanover; John W., Hanover R. 1; Mrs. Walter Hiler, Hanover R. 1; Robert C., Littlestown; Mrs. Ralph Hafner, at home; George A., Spring Grove, and Margaret, Ralph and Ruth Etta, all at home.

Funeral services Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the J. W. Little and son funeral home, Littlestown, conducted by the Rev. Sanderson A. Jacobs. Interment in Union cemetery, Silver Run, Md.

# Mrs. John Walters Breaks Hip In Fall

Mrs. John Walters, 334 Baltimore street, was admitted to the Warner hospital Tuesday in the ambulance following a fall at her home this morning at 10 o'clock which resulted in a fracture of her left hip.

Other admissions included Mrs. Ruth Spangler, Littlestown; Grace Jeffcoat, 237 York street; Mrs. Edwin Schlosser, Gettysburg; John Richardson, Fairfield, and Mrs. Henry Harlachner, East Berlin R. 1, Jesse Speight, Biglerville R. 1, has been discharged.

# FOUR DISCHARGED

Among those discharged from the army at Indianport Gap on Wednesday were: Cpl. Joseph J. Miller, New Oxford R. 2; Cpl. William R. Keefe, 32 North Queen street, Littlestown; T/5 William M. Harness, 219 Steinhewer avenue, and Pfc. Donald E. Wampler, Biglerville R. 1.

# MOTORISTS ARE URGED TO SAVE CAR BATTERIES

Car owners throughout the nation were put on alert Thursday by the American Automobile Association with which the Gettysburg Motor Club is affiliated with the warning that they must do everything possible to conserve the batteries that they now have in order to tide over the period of critical lead shortage in the months immediately ahead.

The warning to motorists was issued by H. J. Brunner, president of the A.A.A. Mr. Brunner pointed to a broad-scale survey by the national motoring body which revealed that the lead supply situation has been deteriorating over a period of many months, with the United States now caught in the midst of a severe war shortage. He said in part:

**Batteries Are Scarce**  
"Through our affiliated motor clubs we recently conducted a spot check which revealed a disturbing scarcity of replacement batteries at the distributor and dealer levels throughout the entire country. We presented the facts to the responsible government agencies and to members of the battery industry. Now we are told in effect that world demand is far in excess of supply and that we cannot expect material improvement in either primary or secondary production or from foreign imports in the near future. This simply means fewer replacement batteries for 1946 in proportion to the demand, with the certainty that some motor vehicles will be immobilized for shorter or longer periods of time."

"The extent of this immobilization will depend in large measure on the adoption of a practical program in which self help must play the major part. Every motorist should give special attention to battery care. He should not seek to buy a new battery until he is dead certain that the battery he now has is wholly beyond repair. The sellers of replacement batteries should use the utmost discretion to see to it that a battery is sold only where real need exists. Service stations can help out materially by setting up battery repair units to prolong the life of batteries now in use."

While warning motorists of the need of battery conservation, the A.A.A. advised the Civilian Production Administration that it would continue from time to time to make nation-wide spot checks as to battery supply conditions at the retail level and of the effect the shortage may have on maintenance of automobile operation. At the same time the A.A.A. urged that C.P.A. continue to review the lead situation at home and abroad at frequent periodic intervals, with a view to taking advantage immediately of any changes in the interest of more adequate provision for battery manufacture.

# ASSAULT COUNT IS DISMISSED

A technical charge of assault and battery by automobile brought December 21 against Donald Howard Newman, Hagerstown, as the result of an accident in which three persons were injured, was dismissed at a hearing Friday night before Justice of the Peace Robert P. Snyder. Costs in the case were placed on the county.

The Hagerstown man had been free on \$1,000 bail posted after the local state police laid the charge in connection with the accident three miles east of Gettysburg on the Lincoln highway. Mrs. Mary Miller, 27, wife of Francis E. Miller, Littlestown R. 1, suffered a fractured skull in the accident, but has completely recovered, according to information given Justice Snyder.

John Hoffman, South Washington street, was placed in the county jail about 1:30 o'clock Saturday morning by borough police in default of bail pending a hearing today before Justice Snyder on a charge of being drunk and disorderly. Hoffman, borough police said, created a disturbance about 1 o'clock this morning in the Greyhound restaurant.

Norman Z. Reinecker, 51, Aspers R. 1, was in the York county jail Saturday in default of bail awaiting a hearing before Justice of the Peace A. L. Myers, Dillsburg, on a charge of drunken driving. Reinecker was arrested Friday by a member of the local sub-station of the state police.

# O'Shaughnessy Rites To Be In Connecticut

The body of Michael O'Shaughnessy, 73, Emmitsburg, who died last Thursday morning at 11:30 o'clock at the Warner hospital, has been shipped to his former home, New Canaan, Conn., where services and interment were held Saturday.

Mr. O'Shaughnessy, who was the author of several books, had been admitted to the hospital Monday night. Coronary occlusion caused death.

The deceased, who had resided in Emmitsburg for the last five years, was prominent in Catholic circles. He was a native of Nashville, Tenn. Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. John Hemphill, Princeton, N. J.; two grandchildren, a brother, Thomas, and a sister, Mrs. Randal Currell, both of Coral Gables, Fla.

# Dr. J. D. Spaeth To Be Dinner Speaker

Dr. J. Duncan Spaeth, professor of English at Princeton university, will be the speaker Tuesday evening at the annual Inter-Faculty dinner to be held at Trinity Reformed church at 6:30 o'clock.

Doctor Spaeth will have as his subject, "Science and the Humanities in Higher Education." He is also scheduled to address students of Gettysburg college prior to the talk before the members of the college and seminary faculties at the Reformed church.

Wives of the faculty groups also will attend the dinner.

# WILL USE ELKS' FUND FOR NEW X-RAY DEVICES

Directors of the Warner hospital at their monthly meeting at the nurses' home Friday night, authorized purchase of \$10,000 worth of X-Ray equipment. The order will be placed within a few days but delivery will not be made for several months or until additional facilities have been built to house the enlarged x-ray department. Funds with which to purchase the X-ray equipment were given the hospital by the Gettysburg Lodge of Elks several months ago.

The hospital board also authorized architectural studies to be made of the present building preparatory to undertaking complete modernization and remodeling of the structure so as to make it conform to the standard of the new building now being erected as a memorial to the late Christian H. Musselman.

Another contract authorized at the board meeting provides for treatment and pruning of the many trees on the hospital grounds. This work will be done before spring.

**January Busy Month**  
The need for additional facilities at the hospital was evidenced by the reports for the month of January which revealed that 46 patients were in the hospital at the start of the month, 185 were admitted during the month and 50 remained at the end of the month. The average daily occupancy was 56, one of the highest averages in the history of the hospital.

Births during January totaled 39 of which 22 were male and 17 female. During January 22 accident cases were treated.

The x-ray, laboratory and surgical departments were exceptionally busy during the month, the report revealed.

By way of reflecting their appreciation of the good service being maintained at the hospital under extremely busy conditions during the past several months, the directors authorized temporary increases to all members of the staff retroactive to February 1. The board members, in taking this action, said they were recognizing the extra duty required of the hospital personnel that have existed for some time and which have been met without sacrifice of standards despite the unavailability of extra personnel.

President C. A. Bixler presided over the meeting which was attended by the following directors:

William Sneringer, Littlestown; Millard F. Stoner and John Brown, Fairfield; Guy Stock, Bendersville; C. P. Keefer, Biglerville; Howard Musselman, Orrtanna; Joseph E. Codori, Dr. Frank H. Kramer, Franklin R. Bigham, Rev. Fr. Mark E. Stock, Carl Baum and Henry M. Scharf, all of Gettysburg.

# PER GUESTS AT ELKS' BANQUET

Approximately 200 members of the Gettysburg Lodge of Elks attended a dinner Wednesday evening at the lodge home in honor of past exalted rulers.

Arthur Buehler, exalted ruler, presided as toastmaster. Richard A. Brown, Esq., was the speaker and delivered a short address.

The following past exalted rulers were introduced: John D. Lipsey, Sr., Charles W. Myers, C. C. Bream, John W. Brehm, E. L. Myers, H. E. Bumbaugh, Joseph E. Codori, L. E. Oyler, Rufus H. Bushman, S. Richard Eisenhart, Scott L. Smith, Donald H. Hershey, Edgar K. Markley, H. T. Jennings, George L. Baugher, H. Earl Pittner, Herbert L. Oyler and John W. Fox.

Special entertainment was provided following the fried chicken dinner.

# Firemen Put Out 2 Chimney Fires

The second chimney fire in slightly more than three hours Friday called firemen at 10:15 a. m. to the home of Lester Shultz, 226 Chambersburg street.

Firemen were called to the home of William Sadler, Lincoln highway, three miles east of Gettysburg, at 7:05 a. m. when a chimney also caught fire. There was no damage reported by firemen in either case.

# CHIMNEY FIRE

The Gettysburg fire company was called at 10:20 o'clock Saturday morning to extinguish a chimney fire at the home of Chester Lawrence, 124, West High street.

# \$16,049 REPAID TO STATE ON '45 "RELIEF" FUNDS

The state was reimbursed to the extent of \$16,049 during 1945 for public assistance funds distributed in Adams county, it was disclosed Tuesday following the regular February meeting of the Adams county Board of Public Assistance Monday evening.

The amount recovered by the state represents six to seven per cent of the total amount paid out during the year. It is several thousand dollars less than the average amount expended monthly for all types of assistance here last year, a board spokesman said.

The reimbursements came chiefly from the estates of former relief recipients, it was explained. The money was collected in accordance with agreements signed by the former relief recipients at the time their names went on the assistance lists. In no case did it represent money obtained through fraud or any type of dishonesty. There was an additional \$400 restored to the state coffers that was collected from persons who had received checks through error or at times when they were not qualified for the checks.

**Miss Waltemyer Elected**  
At Monday's meeting Miss Grace Waltemyer, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Waltemyer, Gettysburg, was elected as the fourth member of the staff of visitors for the county assistance office. She fills a long-standing vacancy and completes the staff needed for present relief requirements. Miss Waltemyer is a substitute teacher in the Biglerville schools. She will begin her new duties next Monday.

The monthly report on the case load by Mrs. Verna Myers, executive director, disclosed there are 12 more cases on the rolls than on the comparable date last year. There are now 455 old age assistance cases; 79 blind pensions; 92 of aid to dependent children, and 57 general assistance cases.

Mr. Stuart Danner of East Berlin was re-elected board chairman at the annual re-organization meeting. J. D. Miller, Biglerville, was elected vice chairman to succeed Mrs. Mary McClean, and Mrs. R. S. Saby was re-named secretary.

Messrs. Miller and Danner and Mrs. Saby were listed as board representatives to an inter-county meeting of boards and executive directors to be held in Harrisburg in April.

The next meeting of the county board will be held March 11. Those present Monday were Chairman Danner, Mrs. Saby, J. D. Miller, J. H. Beard and H. H. Reuning.

# MOOSE INDUCTS NEW MEMBERS HERE ON SUNDAY

George E. Gwilliam, Plymouth, past supreme governor of the Loyal Order of Moose, was the speaker Sunday afternoon at a program held in connection with the initiation of a class of 110 members, one of the largest groups ever taken into the local lodge.

Robert Hertz, 246 Baltimore street, represented the class during the initiation rites performed by the York lodge degree staff. The new men brought the number of membership of the local organization to over 1600.

S. Charles Smith, East Middle street, and J. William Stevens, York street, have been named life members of the organization, Charles Lawyer, secretary of the local Moose, announced during the program.

**Lauds Local Officials**  
Past Supreme Governor Gwilliam paid tribute to Secretary Lawyer, who will celebrate his 15th anniversary in that post in April, and to Paul Miller, South Washington street, present governor of the local Moose. The Gettysburg Moose lodge, Gwilliam pointed out, "is for the size of the community one of the largest in the country. Gettysburg has 6,000 population and its Moose club has 1,000 members."

Noting that most of the new members are young men who had recently returned from service with the armed forces Gwilliam declared, "Don't let anyone discourage you at any time. You are young and you are living in the one country in the world where any man by his own industry and intelligence, can succeed. I can say that with certainty because it is my own experience. I came to the United States as a youth from Wales, a member of a large family. We had no wealth, little education, but all of us have become at least fairly successful."

He also outlined the history of Moosehead, home for orphans of members of the Moose and Moosehaven, the home for elderly members of the organization.

The meeting was the first to be held in the new auditorium constructed in the rear of the building formerly occupied by Butt's restaurant which was purchased some time ago by the Moose.

Minerva Fischer, Gettysburg, sold to Guy and Selma Hartzell, Butler township, two properties totalling 11 acres in Butler township.

# South Penn League Standing

SOUTHERN DIVISION			W.	L.	Pct.
Chambersburg	5	1	.833		
Gettysburg	4	1	.800		
Hanover	2	3	.400		
Waynesboro	0	6	.000		
NORTHERN DIVISION			W.	L.	Pct.
Carlisle	5	1	.833		
Hershey	4	2	.667		
Mechanicsburg	3	3	.500		
Shippensburg	0	6	.000		

# BRITISH BRIDE OF COUNTY MAN LIKES AMERICA

Dora Donaldson, wife of James Donaldson, Orrtanna, is London-born and bred, but the tiny village of Orrtanna nestling in the South Mountains seems "more like home than home itself, I like it," she told a reporter of The Gettysburg Times in an interview.

"You see," she added, "Folsted in Essex, where I was stationed while in the armed forces and where I met Jim, was just about the size of Orrtanna. And there was a larger town about six miles away about the size of Gettysburg where Jim and I used to go to the movies just as we do now in Gettysburg, so the two places may be three thousand miles apart, but they are much alike."

Mrs. Donaldson, one of two English brides of Adams countians who married while with the armed forces in England, arrived Sunday in New York aboard the Queen Mary.

**Ill During Voyage**  
Of the trip the vivacious English girl reported: "I was sick for three days and the other wives were sick—but all in all we had a good time coming over. Everyone was happy to be coming home to their husbands."

Enroute from New York to Orrtanna, Mrs. Donaldson satisfied a craving of seven years' standing—she had a banana split at a soda fountain in Lancaster. There she made acquaintance with an American institution, the drug store, which she found fascinating. "We have chemists' shops and soda fountains in England, but nothing like the drug store. What amazes me, not only in drug stores but in all the stores is the tremendous quantity of things for sale. Why in a dress shop there were hundreds of dresses to pick from. After England, where there is so little that can be bought, America just seems to be flowing with goods. Over there you had to stand in line for hours to buy anything and then there was very little in the shops."

**Has Sense of Humor**  
Mrs. Donaldson has a typically American sense of humor and a gift for mimicking the speech of others. She was amused by the American habit of praising a particular section of country to the detriment of others and told, complete with imitating the accent of the soldiers, an incident aboard ship enroute here.

An American G.I. asked "Where are you headed for?"

When told Pennsylvania he answered, "That's a shame, you should come to God's country—Illinois."

Just then another soldier butted in: "Don't you believe dat lady, dere ain't no place like Pittsburgh."

America's size and the lack of damage from the war, all amazed and pleased the English girl, she confessed. The tremendous variety and quantity of food available all are sources of wonder and pleasure, "but sometimes the food is baffling—but good, like schnitz and knepf."

**Craving for Fruit**  
Right now she is catching up with a desire for fruits, greens and sweets that was restrained by the war-time shortages in England she reported. "And after hearing all about the blossom time around here I'm anxious for spring. We had some orchards at Felsted, but not much."

"America is wonderful, there's no place like it," she stated, but husband Jim reported one disappointment she had in America. "Dora was mighty disappointed with the banana split—they hid the banana and she couldn't see it." Mrs. Donaldson quoting her, that what she had been hearing, that what she had been amazed by was the size of the banana split, "with all that ice cream and syrup and fruit and everything. It was more a meal than a dessert."

Mr. Donaldson, who works for the state highway department, met his English bride when he was a sergeant stationed at an American Air Force field about four miles from Felsted. He bicycled back and forth to Felsted for meetings with the future Mrs. Donaldson.

# Liquor Board Lifts 2 Suspensions Here

The suspension of the beverage licenses of Ned's Tavern and the Fraternal Order of Eagles, invoked by the Liquor Control Board, for alleged liquor law violations, have been lifted upon acceptance of offers from the two licensees. The Liquor Control Board announced Thursday.

Ned's Tavern, whose license had been suspended for 60 days, has had the suspension lifted upon payment of a \$600 offer to the LCB.

The 45-day suspension invoked on the FOE has been lifted upon payment of a \$450 offer, the Board announced.

# Adams County League Standing

Final Standings			W.	L.	Pct.
BOYS' DIVISION					
East Berlin	9	1	.900		
Arendtsville	7	3	.700		
Littlestown	6	4	.600		
Biglerville	5	5	.500		
Fairfield	3	7	.300		
New Oxford	0	10	.000		
GIRLS' DIVISION					
Arendtsville	9	1	.900		
Biglerville	9	1	.900		
New Oxford	5	5	.500		
East Berlin	4	6	.400		
Littlestown	3	7	.300		
Fairfield	0	10	.000		

# TWO-DAY FORUM AT COLLEGE ON MARCH 13 AND 14

A conference on "Christianity: A Luxury, an Escape or a Way" will be held at Gettysburg college March 13 and 14, Parker B. Wagnild, assistant professor of English Bible at the college, announced Friday.

A preliminary discussion of the forum will take place Tuesday morning, March 12, with a talk by Dr. Norman Richardson of the philosophy department of Gettysburg college. All of the sessions of the forum will be held in Brua chapel.

Wednesday, March 13, the Rev. Dr. Winburn T. Thomas, general secretary of the Student Volunteer Movement, an interdenominational student organization which for 60 years has recruited missionary personnel, will speak on "Sharing the Way." For seven years prior to America's entry into the war a student and social worker in Japan, Doctor Thomas has also traveled extensively in Korea and China and is acquainted with the needs and aspirations of the people of the Far East. His first talk will be at 2 p. m., March 13.

Attorney Leighton C. Taylor, of Bendersville, will speak on "Christianity and the Front Page" at 3:30 p. m. Doctor Thomas will speak again at 7:30 p. m., March 13, on "Christianity, a Way for All." The day's sessions will close with a candlelight service at 10:30 p. m.

**Other Speakers**  
Thursday, March 14, the Rev. Dr. P. Epling Reinartz, New York city pastor, and well known as an outstanding administrator and lecturer in the Lutheran church, will be a speaker at two sessions. His first talk will be at 2 p. m. on "There Must Be a Way." The second talk is scheduled for 7:30 p. m. on the subject, "Christianity, a Way for Me."

Doctor Reinartz graduated from Gettysburg college with the class of 1924, took postgraduate work at Harvard university and the Philadelphia Lutheran Theological seminary. His wife is the former Isabella Martin Lang, of Gettysburg.

Also scheduled to speak Thursday, March 14, is Dr. Warren D. Bowman, Washington, D. C., chairman of the Committee on Marriage and Home of the Washington Federation of Churches. He will speak on "Love, Courtship and Marriage" at 3:30 p. m. Holding a doctor of philosophy degree from the University of Chicago, Doctor Bowman is the author of several books including, "Home Builders of Tomorrow" and "Counseling with Couples Before Marriage."

# PFEFFER NOT A CANDIDATE

Fred G. Pfeffer, who retired as Burgess of Gettysburg on January 7, today announced that he is not a candidate for Chairman of the Adams County Republican committee.

Nomination petitions for Mr. Pfeffer have been in circulation for several days in several parts of the county. When asked about his candidacy Mr. Pfeffer said:

"I am not a candidate for the Chairmanship of the Republican committee. It is true that I have been approached by several groups in the county urging me to seek the office. I informed each group that I would give the matter careful consideration and announce my decision before February 19."

"I am aware that the petitions are in circulation, but this was done without my knowledge or consent and this is to inform my friends that I am not a candidate."

"Due to business reasons which preclude my seeking this office I do not feel that I could do justice to my business and the Republican party should I seek the office and be so successful as to be elected. I will be faced with some serious business problems in the early future which may lead to an expansion program which again would not enable me to devote the time necessary to my business and the political effort involved in the chairmanship of the GOP party."